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VOTERS NOMINATE?

POLITICIANS WONDERING IF THEY HAVEN'T BENN CHEATED.

WRITE NAMES ON BALLOT

In This Way Republicans May Have Nominated Candidates for State Senator and Court of Appeals.

If voters at a primary, independent of any formal filing with the secretary of state, have power to make nominations by simply writing in the names of candidates the Republican party will be confronted with a peculiar situation in the district of the Kansas City court of appeals, and also in this senatorial district.

In these districts no Republican candidates sought primary nominations. Notwithstanding this the primary voters wrote in the names of persons they favored and the question has been raised as to whether this constitutes a valid nomination. If it does the party committees will be confronted with the task of getting the withdrawal of these involuntary candidates before attempting to fill these vacancies upon the ticket.

A precedent cited for the contention that voters may make a valid nomination independent of the provisions of the primary act requiring the payment of a filing fee, and the presentation of a formal declaration, is the case of A. R. Marshall, who was nominated in 1910 over another candidate who formally filed for the office of circuit clerk of Randolph county.

Marshall did not file a declaration of candidacy and did not pay a filing fee, but enough Democrats wrote his name on the ballot to defeat his opponent, who filed, and the attorney general held this to be a valid nomination.

The primary law provides in section 5859 that "the name of no candidate shall be printed upon any official ballot at any primary election unless at least sixty days prior to such primary a written declaration shall have been filed by the candidate, as provided in this article, stating his full name, residence, office for which he proposes as a candidate, the party upon whose ticket he is to be a candidate, and that if nominated and elected to such office he will qualify."

This section refers only to printing the names upon the ballot. There is nothing in it prohibiting a candidate for office having his name written on the ballot.

A. M. Tibbetts of Worth county has been honored, without solicitation on his part, by the Republicans of the wsetern half of the state by being named as their candidate for judge of the Kansas City court of appeals by 21 votes, which is a majority of 5 over the total votes cast for nine opponents, whose names also were written in for the same place by voters.

His closest involuntary rival was W. J. Gibson, who had his name written in four times, and then came C. B. DuBoise, who received 3 votes in the same manner.

A peculiar feature is that the votes for the three were cast in Worth county, although there are fifty-seven counties and Kansas City in the district. Not M. Lacy and H. S. Conrad got 2 votes each and H. L. Acton, K. B. Randolph, Daniel Miller, John Ambrose and W. H. Crawford 1 vote each.

Tibbetts, unless objections are offered and a contest ensues, will have his name printed on the official ballots as the Republican nominee for the Kansas City court of appeals.

In the First senatorial district John L. Tilton of Worth county received 55 votes by having his name written in, against 2 votes cast for A. M. Tibbetts of Worth county under the same conditions. There was no Republican entered for the nomination of senator in this district.

Left for North Dakota.

R. A. Strawbridge, Charles Holt and Sam McClurg left Tuesday evening for Stanton, N. D., on a business trip and other points in that state. Mr. Strawbridge will visit his son, Ross Strawbridge, and wife, at Stanton, and expects to be gone month.

Miss Verna Woodard went to St. Joseph Tuesday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. Earl Phillips.

DO YOU NEED GLASSES?

Eyes Tested Free

Glasses Accurately Fitted by expert Optician. Repairs Promptly Executed at CRANE'S.

TO BE A CAR SHORTAGE.

Circulars Being Received in Maryville From Railroad Officials and Coal Men.

According to the circulars being received in Maryville from railroad officials and coal companies, and also according to advices received by W. E. Goforth, agent of the Burlington, and E. L. Ferritor, agent of the Wabash, there will be the greatest car shortage the American railroads have ever experienced this fall and winter.

One railroad official, in discussing the impending car shortage, said:

"The car shortage this fall will be the most acute the railroads of this country ever have felt. Great crops everywhere and an increase in all industries is the cause. For the last several months the lumber business has been increasing and there is now a big movement in lumber. The movement of coal is much larger than it was last year and there has been a considerable movement of coal all summer. A month from now the big coal movement will begin, and with the great crops to be hauled I cannot see where the cars will come from

'We originate most of the tonnage of our line and could keep pretty well up with it if it were not for the drain in cars by the grain carrying roads. The wheat and corn crops will require all the available cars, to say nothing of the cotton crop, which promises to be larger than last year, and the rice crop, which is a big item in the south.

"Mining is now very active. In fact, the railroads are at the point where they will have more business in all lines, except live stock, than they can handle. A shortage of cars may cause a general coal shortage."

Darius Miller, president of the C., B. & Q., has sent letters to the large customers of the railroad, informing them of the impending car shortage, due to large crops. The Burlington has ordered 10,500 new freight cars, but this will not be enough to meet the demand. Mr. Miller advised his customers to order their coal now if they wished to avoid a possibility of high prices or a shortage.

COMMITTEE TO MEET THURSDAY.

A Meeting of the Progressive Party Committee to Select Date for County Convention.

A meeting of the county committee of the Bull Moose party in Nodaway has been called for Thursday afternoon for 2 o'clock by Chairman W. W. Glass and Secretary F. P. Robinson of the committee. The purpose of the meeting is to select a date for the county convention and to talk about putting a full Progressive ticket in the county. The county convention will probably be held on Saturday, August 31, and ten delegates to the state convention at St. Louis will be selected, and the convention will decide whether to put a county ticket in the field or endorse the Republican candidates.

This has been the source of considerable discussion among the progressives the past week. Wherever three or four were gathered together the question comes up and is left unsettled.

"Well," said one Bull Moose follower yesterday, "I don't care if we do endorse the Republican nominees. They are pretty good fellows and I am mainly interested in the head of the ticket."

"But just wait a minute," came from another Roosevelt enthusiast. "I have always been a Republican and have nothing against these men personally, but we can't build up a new party and make it permanent by helping to elect men in the old parties to office. I, too, am interested principally in the presidential race, but Mr. Roosevelt wants the Progressive party to be a fixture and not a flash in the pan. I have enlisted with the progressives not for this year only but for keeps, and the Republican party looks to me now just like the Democratic or any other old party. If we want success we must roll our own snowball."

"I don't know but you are right," came from another, and so the discussio ngoes on.

DEATH OF CHILD AT QUITMAN.

Infant Child of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Young Died Tuesday Night.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Young of Quitman died Tuesday night at 8:50 o'clock, after a several days' illness. The child was 1 month and 2 days old. The funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Young home, conducted by Rev. Harlan of Maitland. Burial took place in the Quitman cemetery.

Mrs. Woods of Arkoe, who has been dangerously ill of appendicitis for several days, is better and is improving.

FATHER ARRESTED

JOHN MOORE HAD COME TO ATTEND FUNERAL OF HIS WIFE.

HIS SANITY QUESTIONED

Proceedings Were Dismissed—Burial of Mrs. Eliza Moore Took Place Tuesday at Miriam Cemetery.

When John Moore, formerly of this city, stepped from the Wabash train Tuesday evening, on his arrival from Pueblo, Col., having been summoned by the death of his wife, Mrs. Eliza Moore, he was taken in charge by Deputy Sheriff George L. Evans on an information sworn out by his son, Charles Moore of this city, charging him with insanity.

Mr. Moore came to Maryville in the company of his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Woodard of Pueblo, formerly Miss Luella Moore of this city. They came from Pueblo, expecting to arrive in Maryville on the noon train Tuesday in time for the funeral services, which were held at the First M. E. church Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. They missed their train by twenty minutes in Kansas City and came on the Great Western to Conception Junction, expecting to come by automobile from that point. But owing to the heavy rain they were unable to secure a car to Maryville.

Mr. Moore and his deceased wife left Maryville last November to spend the winter with their daughter in Pueblo, and remained at her home until a few weeks ago, when they went to Kansas City to the home of their son, Sylvester Moore.

Three weeks ago Mrs. Moore was taken ill and was removed to the Red Cross hospital, where her death occurred on Sunday night at 10 o'clock. Her death was due to a general decline.

About the time that Mrs. Moore was taken ill her husband became sick and was placed in one of the hospitals there. Mrs. Woodard came to Kansas City about a week ago and took her father with her to Pueblo, as her mother seemed better at that time. They were in Pueblo only four days when word came to them of her death.

Mrs. Woodard was greatly surprised when her father was taken in charge Tuesday night on a complaint of insanity.

Mr. Moore's case was set for hearing in the probate court before Judge W. H. Conn Wednesday morning. He appeared in the court, and before a jury was drawn the case was dismissed by Charles Moore.

The attorneys for Charles Moore dismissed the case in probate court against John Moore, as one of the attorneys stated, for the reason that they could not get the depositions of several physicians in Kansas City in time for the case as set today.

The funeral services of Mrs. Moore were held Tuesday afternoon and the body was held for burial at the undertaking rooms of the Maryville Furniture company. The burial services were private and were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Miriam cemetery. The pallbearers were O. C. Hanna, J. F. Montgomery, S. H. Kemp, C. D. Hooker, W. A. Miller and J. L. Conley. The other children at the burial services were Sylvester Moore of Kansas City and Mrs. Belle Moore Russell of Tacoma, Wash.

TO SERVE SUPPER.

Epworth League of the Barnard Church to Have Supper There, Proceeds for a New Piano.

A supper will be served on Saturday evening, August 24, by the Epworth League of the M. E. Church of Barnard at that place. Rev. W. E. Royston, pastor of the church, says that everything to eat will be at your command. The proceeds of the supper will go toward the new piano of the church.

Card of Thanks.

The children and grandchildren of the late Mrs. Sarah Evans, who died at her home in this city Sunday, wish to express their sincere gratitude to all who assisted them in their sorrow or contributed to the comfort or pleasure of the deceased during her illness.

Quarterly Meeting.

The fourth quarterly meeting of the Barnard M. E. church charge will be held at Barnard on September 4, at 10 o'clock a. m. All of the official members are requested to attend.

Attend the Maryville Business College. It prepares for life. Opens Sept. 3.

ELMO PICNIC IS ON

BIG CROWD IN ATTENDANCE ON THE OPENING DAY.

ONE DAY FOR EACH PARTY

Political Speakers, Base Ball Games, Vaudeville Company and Other Attractions on the Bill of Fare.

The Elmo annual picnic opened up finely Wednesday morning and by 1 o'clock a crowd of 2,000 people had arrived and still they were coming, an excellent first day crowd.

Shepherd Leffler of Maryville spoke Wednesday afternoon in the interest of the Progressive party.

On Thursday afternoon there will be Democratic speakers from Maryville, John M. Dawson, W. A. Blagg and Anderson Craig, Democratic candidate for state senator.

Friday afternoon will be given to prominent Republican speakers.

Wednesday afternoon the Elmo base ball nine played Westboro. They will play Coin on Thursday and Hopkins on Friday.

The Great Western Vaudeville company will play each night in the opera house.

IS FEELING BETTER NOW.

Since the Arrival of the Exclusive Caps Magnus Tate is On the Road to an Early Recovery.

Look at Magnus Tate tonight and see the broad, happy smile on his face. No, he is not engaged, nor has any one given him an automobile. The caps have come, that's all.

You don't know about the caps. Well, weeks and weeks ago, when Tate and Leland Andrews took their trip. Magnus ordered some fine exclusive pattern caps for the boys here. Magnus said they would be here the first of August.

The first of August came, but no caps. The time was extended to the fifth, and then the tenth. Still the caps did not come, and the boys were growing desperate. Since then they have been running to Magnus after every train came in to know if the caps were here. Magnus grew worried, deep lines came in his face, his hair almost turned gray, and he looked haggard and worn. The responsibility was too much. Toward the end Magnus wasn't really sure whether he had ordered any caps or not. He thought he might have been taken in by some "phony" house.

But they are here, and Magnus is rapidly on the road to recovery from a threatened nervous breakdown.

CAN GET OTWELL'S FARMER.

By Sending in Your Name to P. O. Landon He Will Send That Paper One Year.

During Saturday of the Chautauqua week Farmer Will Otwell of Carlinville, Ill., was the afternoon speaker, and he delivered a talk along farm lines. Besides being a Chautauqua lecturer, he is also publisher of the paper, Otwell's Farmer Boy, an agricultural paper, and while here he offered free 400 subscriptions to this paper to the Chautauqua management. Over 150 boys and farmers signed up for the paper on that day, and now Manager Landon has about 200 more to dispose of. If any of the boys on the farm or farmers would like to have a copy of this agricultural paper free, all you will have to do is to send in your name to Mr. Landon and he will see that you get it.

ARM BROKEN IN THRESHER.

Robert Ashworth of Maitland Has Right Arm Broken at Yahrmark Farm.

While attending the separator on one of Ralph Pope's threshing machines at the farm of Clarence Yahrmark, twelve miles southwest of Maryville, Tu s day, Robert Ashworth of Maitland had his right arm broken.

The machine was stopped to readjust something about the machinery th.t had become loose. The wheel stopped on center and rebounded in time to catch Ashworth's arm as he started to make the adjustment. He was taken to Dr. Rowlett at Graham, who set .e member.

On Trip to Wisconsin.

Miss Katherine Helwig and Miss Elizabeth Evans left Wednesday on a three weeks' trip to Chicago and the lakes in Wisconsin.

Mrs. Frank Gwinn of Denver, Mo., was shopping in the city Wednesday.

FUNERAL HELD TUESDAY.

George W. Wood, Living Near Skidmore, Died Suddenly Sunday Morning.

George W. Wood died about 2 o'clock Sunday morning at his home, five miles northeast of Skidmore. The cause of his death was heart failure.

The funeral services were held Tuesday at the M. E. church in Skidmore, conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Welton. Burial took place in the Masonic cemetery there.

Mr. Wood had been subject to heart attacks for several years. On Saturday, the day before his death, he worked all day building a fence and attending to chores, ate a hearty supper and retired to his bed, feeling in the best of health and spirits. He awoke about midnight and smoked his pipe, as he was in the custom of doing when he couldn't sleep. His family didn't think anything of it, and at 2 o'clock that morning discovered him lying on the side of his bed dead.

Mr. Wood was born in Washington county, Ohio, July 4, 1838. He was married to Emily Williams in September, 1866, and came to Nodaway county about thirty years ago, residing here ever since. Seven children were born to them, all of them living. They are Charles Wood of near Graham, Albert Wood of Diller, Neb.; Joseph, John and Chester Wood of Oklahoma, Willard Wood of Skidmore, and Miss Mary Wood of Grant's Pass, Ore., who is there on a visit for her health.

CALLED MEETING FOR SATURDAY

Those Who Donated to Lee Road Will Meet Then and Discuss Plans for the Highway.

A meeting has been called by A. F. Croy and J. L. Partridge for Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the court house of those who donated to the Lee road improvement fund for the purpose of discussing plans for making some improvements, and also to select a member of the board to fill the vacancy caused by the removal of L. T. Lee from the county.

A check for $1,000 was received from the state last week to be spent on this road. From donations of those interested in the road and from the people in Maryville, $1,000 was raised two years ago, and this money has been spent on the road. With the additional $1,000 from the state the Lee road, east of this city, will be made one of the best roads in the county.

The plan is to cut off about five feet more from Lee hill and the road across the bottom, a distance of one and a half miles, will be graded and graveled.

MANY JAPANESE PERFORMERS.

Greatest Japanese Troupe in the World Here With the Robinson Circus.

Beyond all question the greatest troupe of Japanese in the world are with the Yankee Robinson circus. This Japanese troupe were imported to this country last season for the New York Hippodrome, where they appeared for thirty weeks. They were then engaged for the Yankee Robinson circus and made the greatest hit ever recorded under a circus tent. This Japanese troupe immediately went back to Japan, left the port of Yokohama on March 27, landing at Seattle April 12, going direct to circus winter quarters. They are in this country by permission of his royal majesty, the emperor of Japan.

DEATH OF MORRIS BROWN.

Youngest Son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Mark Brown, Well Known in Skidmore, Died at Lawrence, Kan.

Morris Brown, the 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Mark Brown, formerly of Skidmore and well known in that community, but now of Lawrence, Kan., died in a hospital at Lawrence on Friday night, after an operation for appendicitis. The funeral services were held at Lawrence on Sunday. Two other children of Mr. and Mrs. Brown are also dangerously sick, a son, Homer, being sick with appendicitis, and a daughter, Miss Lola Brown, sick with typhoid fever.

Accepts Position at Waterloo, Ia.

Ralph C. Jamison has accepted a position in the general offices of the Chicago Great Western railroad at Waterloo, Ia., and will go to his work tomorrow. Mr. Jamison is an excellent young man and a graduate of the Maryville Business college, class of June 27, 1912.

Returned From Oklahoma.

Dr. J. W. Dean returned Wednesday noon from a two weeks' business trip to Shawnee and other points in Oklahoma. He reports a wonderful peach crop in that country.

WHAT A GIRL CAN DO

RAISED SIXTY-ONE BUSHELS OF CORN ON AN ACRE OF GROUND.

A NODAWAY COUNTY GIRL

Miss Edna C. Tucker of Near Ravenwood Sets a Pace for the Boys, and Tells How She Did It.

In the annual report of the state board of agriculture of Missouri, which was issued this week, appears a write-up of Edna C. Tucker of near Ravenwood, who grew last year 61 bushels of corn to an acre. Miss Tucker is also enrolled in the boys' corn growing contest to be held in Maryville in November in connection with the Teachers' association.

The following is the article in regard to Miss Tucker:

Everybody, it would seem, must know that there are boy corn growers in Missouri. Several thousand boys are members of Missouri boys' corn growing clubs, and some of these fine young fellows are always getting into print—for the average editor does love a story of success.

In Missouri there are also girls who are successful corn growers. One of these girls is Edna C. Tucker, daughter of W. B. Tucker, a farmer living near Ravenwood, up in the "big corn country" of Northwest Missouri. Just here it might be said that Miss Tucker's home county and another adjoining it produced last year as much corn as did a dozen states combined. Last year was a poor corn year in Missouri. It was a year that tried the most experienced men and most ambitious boys in the corn work. What shall we say of a school girl who, unaided, grew on one acre of ground 61 bushels and 2 pounds of dry, husked corn? Pretty good, isn't it? There were lots of other school boys and girls growing corn in this county—Nodaway—under the direction of W. M. Oakerson, a real county superintendent, who brings things—especially things agriculturally—to pass.

Miss Tucker tells of her corn growing experience as follows:

"My acre of ground is upland and on a badly worn farm. I selected the best acre on the farm, and purchased Reid's Yellow Dent for my seed corn. I double disked this plot on April 2. On May 4 I listed it, and on May 11 I relisted it; then planted it with a two-horse corn planter, running the planter in the lister marks. The corn was drilled about nine inches apart in the row, the rows being three feet and four inches apart. I then hitched a horse to a small log and dragged it over the rows to pulverize the clods.

"After the corn was three or four inches high I hauled one load of barnyard manure and on the poorest spots put a small shovelful in each hill. I harrowed it the next day after planting, and again on May 27. On May 30 a heavy rain damaged it badly by washing. I pulled the dirt up to the corn that was still in the row and replanted the plot on June 2 and 3. I cultivated it five times with a two-horse walking cultivator. During the latter part of our fifty-days' drouth I kept going through my corn with a one-horse pulverizer, or float, to bring the moisture to the top of the ground. I had a dust mulch about four or five inches deep. My corn was tasseling July 1, was in roasting ear July 29, was dented by August 6, and was harvested November 9. It weighed 4,220 pounds of dry husked corn.

"I chose this work because I like outdoor labor, and fell so in love with it that I intend to plant a larger acreage in 1912. I learned many things about farming, and gained in stature and strength. County Superintendent W. M. Oakerson was so kind to help and encourage me that while my yield was not so large as I should have liked, I suppose it did well, considering the soil, the dry, hot summer, and my first attempt at corn growing."

Wichita Guest Returns.

Mrs. Percy Rittennour Post of Wichita, Kan., who has been the guest of her uncle, Milton M. Rittennour, and family the past ten days, returned home Tuesday evening.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Thursday; moderate temperature.

Latest Post Cards 1 cent each at Crane's

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For Judge of North District—Wm. Blackford.
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For Sheriff—Ed Wallace.
For Treasurer—E. F. Wolfert.
For Surveyor—J. E. Reese.
For Coroner—Dr. Wm. Wallis, Jr.
For Public Administrator—J. F. Roelofson.

On Visit in Arkansas.

Misses Mildred and Lois Cummings left Tuesday evening for Mammoth Springs, Ark., to visit their sister, Mrs. N. B. Newlon.

Mrs. John Mahoney of St. Joseph, who has been visiting her little daughter, Pauline, at the home of her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mahoney of this city, the past month, and with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jesse Ray of near Ravenwood, returned home Tuesday evening. Mrs. Mahoney's daughter will begin her second year at St. Patrick's parish school in September.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Owens of St. Joseph, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Owens and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Irwin, left for their home Wednesday morning.

J. C. Fremont Lyle and daughter, Miss Edith, of near Parnell, were shopping in the city Tuesday.

This is Townsend's Price List for THURSDAY

PICK OUT THE BARGAINS THAT LOOK BEST TO YOU.

2 pkgs Shredded Wheat Biscuit...25c
2 pkgs Cream of Wheat.....25c
10c Corn Flakes (limit of 2 pkgs)..5c
Puffed Rice 12c
Puffed Wheat 8c
Picnic Hams (Thursday only), lb..12c
10c box Corn Starch (one only).....3c
10c Trilby Soap (one only).....6c
10c Ivory Soap (one only).....6c
5c Ivory Soap (one only-.....4c
12 cans best Iowa Corn.....75c
5-lb 80c can Kansas City Baking Powder for 49c
1-lb can Dr. Price's (50c) Baking Powder for 37c
1-lb can Bon Bon One Spoon Baking Powder for 10c
25c sack Fresh Meal for.....19c
35c sack new Graham Flour for...27c
Best Irish Potatoes, bushel.....75c
3-lb can George Washington Coffee, $1.00 goods 88c
Fine Peaches, peck.....50c
10 lbs Sal Soda for.....15c
20 lbs Rock Salt, ground.....15c
Finest Cheese, lb.....20c
8-lb basket Fine Grapes.....22c
Fancy quality Red Salmon, pound can for 20c
10 bars Pearl White Laundry Soap for 29c
Fresh California Prunes, doz.....20c
Basket ripe Bartlett Pears.....25c
Fresh Tomatoes, 4-lb basket.....10c

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* WE ARE STRIVING HARD TO *
* KEEP UP WITH DELIVERIES. *
* KINDLY GIVE YOUR ORDERS *
* EARLY. *
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100-lb sacks Cane Granulated Sugar for $5.40
48-lb sack Gold Coin Flour.....$1.20
48-lb sack Fancy Cream Flour...$1.15
19 lbs Granulated Sugar.....$1.00
Bedford Creamery Butter, Thursday, per lb 27c

THE TOWNSEND CO.
THE ONLY LARGE EXCLUSIVE CASH STORE IN NORTHWEST MISSOURI.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Picnic at Bridgewater.

E. T. Funk and family, John Awalt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stapler, and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Diss of Lincoln, Neb., spent Wednesday picnicking at Bridgewater.

Aid Society Meeting.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church, South, will meet at the church Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in a regular business session. This will be the last meeting of the conference year and election of officers will take place. A full attendance of the membership is desired.

For Kansas City Guests.

Mrs. J. F. Colby is giving a small kensington and luncheon three afternoons this week, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, in honor of her guests, Mrs. Paul Ream, her sister, and Mrs. J. Woodson Smith, both of Kansas City. The guests are the old friends of her guests, during their residence here a few years ago.

Chautauqua Campers Leave.

Miss Helen Dunn returned to her home in Bolckow Tuesday evening. She had been in Maryville since the opening of the Chautauqua and was in camp with the Bridgets club, of which she is a member. Miss Helen Ardery and Miss Esther Kane of St. Joseph, who were the guests of Miss Allie Fraser at the Bridgets' camp, returned home Wednesday morning.

Miss May Pierce a Bride-Elect.

Maryville friends have just received invitations to the marriage of Miss Ortah May Pierce, daughter of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Pierce of Tarkio, to Mr. William Scanman of Tarkio. The wedding will take place in the First M. E. church of Tarkio at 9:30 o'clock on the morning of September 4. Miss Pierce resided in Maryville when her father was presiding elder of the Maryville district M. E. conference a few years ago. She has been principal of the high school at Murray, Ia., the past two years.

Dinner Hostess at Eighty-Three.

Mrs. Amanda Young entertained a dinner company Sunday at her home, 1007 East First street, in honor of her niece, Mrs. Minerva Gordon Duncan of Winnipeg, Canada, who has been spending the past week with her, and with the family of her brother-in-law, Reuben Young, living northeast of Maryville. Mrs. Young will be 83 years old this month, and she enjoyed the day as much as anyone. Her guests, who brought the greater part of the dinner with them ready for the table, were Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Young, and their married daughters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby, and children; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dowden and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mercer.

Miscellaneous Bridal Shower.

Miss Alice Martin entertained forty guests Tuesday afternoon with a domino party and a miscellaneous shower for Miss Emma Lee Taylor, a bride-elect. The guests were served punch on their arrival by Mrs. Victor Moore, who was assisted by Mrs. Fayette Bellows, Miss Elise Jackson and Miss Emma Lee Taylor. The prize at dominoes, a hand-made handkerchief, was won by Miss Ella Walton Frank. The decorations in the dining room, where refreshments were served, after the games, were in the bridal colors, pink and white. Cosmos and asters were the flowers used. The favors were hand-painted cupids on hearts. After the games the hostess brought in a large clothes hamper, filled with packages of all shapes and sizes, containing the gifts of the guests to the honor guest. Miss Taylor opened her gifts and read the labels on each for the pleasure of the company. She received a beautiful array of gifts.

Montgomery & Lyle CLOTHING CO.

Specials for Friday and Saturday

Now is the time to throw away the straw hat and get a fur hat. Our prices are:

$3.00 Hat for $2.50
$2.50 Hat for $2.00
$2.00 Hat for $1.50
$1.50 Hat for $1.15
All Boys' Romper Suits.....38c
All Boys' 50c Union Suits.....33c
All Boys' 25c Union Suits.....19c
Boys' $1.50 Knee Pants.....$1.15
Boys' $1.00 Knee Pants.....78c
Boys' 75c Knee Pants.....55c

Suit Cases and Grips 12½ per cent off.

We have a full line of samples for suits and overcoats to measure, at $15.00 up.

Fit guaranteed or no sale. Come and try us. We have the goods and the right styles and best quality. Save you money by buying of Montgomery & Lyle Clothing Company, first door north of Nodaway Valley Bank.

Montgomery & Lyle CLOTHING CO.

Returned to Iowa.

Mr. Lloyd Humberstone of Davenport, Ia., who was the Chautauqua guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Matt O'Brien, left for his home Tuesday evening. Mrs. O'Brien gave a breakfast party in his honor at 8 o'clock Sunday morning, when plates were laid for the following guests: Mr. Humberstone, Miss Ethel Muse of Parnell, Miss Ruby Trotter of Jameson, Mr. Paul Jans of Keokuk, Ia.; Miss Lela Caudle, Miss Mary McCall, Messrs. Herschel Colbert, Alvin Clark and Lester Bennett.

Obituary.

Miller LaFollett Coulter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Coulter, living two miles northeast of Arkoe, was born August 12, 1912. Died August 18, 1912. Age 6 days.

He appeared to have perfect health and was very promising until Friday evening, August 16, when suddenly he became sick of the tonsilitis. He suffered very severely until Sunday evening about 7:45 o'clock, when the merciful Lord said, "It is enough; come up higher."

May he rest in the arms of Jesus, awaiting the arrival of his dear ones coming later on.

The funeral services were conducted by the writer at Mr. Harry Coulter's after which the body of the deceased was laid to rest in the Swinford cemetery.

W. E. ROYSTON,
Pastor M. E. Church.

Mr. Kaufman Improving.

Fin Kaufman of Graham, who is prostrated by the accident that occurred at the Murphy farm, northwest of Maryville, last Friday, when his threshing machine engine exploded and injured two men seriously, is still confined to his home, but is improving.

Mrs. L. J. Lomax and daughters of Wilsonville, Neb., who have been visiting her brother, W. L. Schoonover, and family, went to Grant City Wednesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Wm. Lynch.

Prof. and Mrs. W. R. Lowry and son of Hopkins were in Maryville Tuesday evening on their way to Elmo to visit Mrs. Lowry's mother and to attend the picnic.

ROCKY FORD CANTELOUPES
First at Brink's. Arriving daily. Watch our window for good, clean things to eat. BRINK & CO.

Mrs. W. B. Key returned to her home in Barnard Tuesday evening from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Deming.

The Trials of a Traveler.

"I am a traveling salesman," writes E. E. Youngs, E. Berkshire, Vt., "and was often troubled with constipation and indigestion till I began to use Dr. King's New Life Pills, which I have found an excellent remedy." For all stomach, liver or kidney troubles they are unequaled. Only 25 cents at the Orear-Henry Drug company.

Misses May and Etta Evans of Bedison, who were called to Maryville by the death of their grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Evans, returned home Wednesday.

Protection from loss by windstorms, fire or lightning is business, either in country or city. You owe it to yourself and family. Consult me now for special rates and terms, or phone me and I will call.

CHARLES HYSLOP,
General Agent.

Miss Laura Barmann went to Albany Wednesday to spend a few days with Miss Grace O'Malley.

Mrs. G. Matter went to Rea, Mo., Wednesday to visit Mrs. Elmer Froyd.

H. T. Crane was a Kansas City visitor Wednesday.

LOUIS D. BRANDEIS, BOSTON:

"Governor Wilson's speech of acceptance is the utterance of a twentieth century statesman; with keen perception he recognizes the evils from which the people are suffering and the dangers which threaten our welfare; with broad vision he points the way by which these evils may be removed and the dangers averted; he proves his understanding alike of business and of social needs and that he is a Democrat, in fact, as well as in name, and his courage is undoubted. Progressive Americans have in him a worthy leader."

D. R. EVERSOLE & SON

Ladies' Knit Underwear Reduced for the Balance of the Week

50c sleeveless vests for.....35c
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25c sleeveless vests for.....15c
20c sleeveless vests for.....13c
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Ladies' Kimonas

Made from figured lawns, trimmed with embroidery and ribbon, $3.00 values for.....$1.98
The $2.00 grades for $1.45
Kimonas made from serpentine crepes, worth $2.50 for.....$2.05

Ladies' Dresses

We have just nine dresses made from batistes and Flaxons, dresses that are worth $4.00, $6.50 and $6.85.
We offer the $4.00 dresses at.....$1.98
We offer the $6.50 dresses at 2.98
We offer the $6.85 dresses at.....3.00

We have two white pique dresses left, size 16 and 36, worth $8.50, we will sell at $3.50.

$35.00 white lingerie dresses for ...$13.00
25.00 white lingerie dresses for. ... 10.00
20.00 white lingerie dresses for.... 8.00
17.50 white lingerie dresses for.... 7.50
15.00 white lingerie dresses for ... 6.98
9.00 white lingerie dresses for..... 3.98
4.00 white lingerie dresses for..... 1.98

All misses' and children's dresses, white or colored at HALF PRICE.

Wash Goods

We have just nine pieces of striped cotton voile left, worth 18c, 35c and 50c a yard.
50c values now.....25c
35c values now.....15c
18c values now.....10c
Pieces of Woven Flaxon, worth 15c a yard, for.....12½c

32 inch French Ginghams, worth 25c, are now selling for.....10c
Silk and cotton novelties, worth 50c are now.....22c
Figured cotton batistes, worth 15c a yard for.....5c
This includes some plain colors.

Muslin Underwear

One fourth to one third off on all ladies muslin underwear for one week only. Some garments are soiled while others are not, eveything is included nothing reserved. You will find it to your interest to investigate.

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Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—14,000. Market strong. Estimate tomorrow, 9,000.
Hogs—28,000. Market steady to weak; top, $8.65. Estimate tomorrow, 19,000.
Sheep—25,000. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—10,000. Market strong.
Hogs—4,500. Market steady to weak; top, $8.67.
Sheep—6,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,600. Market strong.
Hogs—5,000. Market steady to weak; top, $8.65.
Sheep—2,500. Market steady.

Indian Killed On Track.

Near Cochelle, Ill., an Indian went to sleep on a railroad track and was killed by the fast express. He paid for his carelessness with his life. Often it's that way when people neglect coughs and colds. Don't risk your life when prompt use of Dr. King's New Discovery will cure them and so prevent a dangerous throat or lung trouble. "It completely cured me in a short time of a terrible cough that followed a severe attack of grip," writes J. R. Watts, Floydada, Texas, "and I regained fifteen pounds in weight that I had lost." Quick, safe, reliable and guaranteed. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free at the Orear-Henry Drug company.

Little Miss Gladys McKee returned to her home in Kansas City Tuesday evening, after a visit with her grandmother, Mrs. Ellen Eslinger, who lives with her father, J. C. Broyles, seven miles west of Maryville.

Mrs. R. R. Pearce of Lenox, Ia., was in Maryville Tuesday evening on her way to Blanchard, Iowa, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hanna.

Mrs. Jacob McCoppin returned to her home in Bolckow Tuesday evening from a visit with Mrs. W. H. Brown.

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ASTHMA REMEDY
Gives Prompt and Positive Relief in Every Case. Sold by Druggists. Price $1.00. Trial Package by Mail 10c.
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For sale by Orear-Henry Drug Co.

PICKERING.

Lon Fine and wife left Wednesday for a pleasure trip to Nebraska and various points of interest in Colorado.

C. B. Leach and wife returned Monday night from a three weeks' visit to Western Kansas and Colorado. They visited John Groves' family and others from Missouri who reside at Salida, Col.

Mrs. Emily Craig returned to her home in Pickering Monday, after a year's absence with her daughters at Loveland, Col.

Elder Roy Youts of Canton, Mo., is conducting revival services at the Christian church, assisted by the pastor, Re. Lindenmyer.

Mr. Lindenmyer, whose home is in Northwest Iowa, is here visiting his son, the pastor of the Christian church.

The school board is having the fourth room of the school building finished and furnished for adding another teacher to the faculty of our school.

George Crowson, late graduate of the Pickering school, will attend the Maryville high school this coming year.

George Swaney shipped a load of hogs to St. Joseph Tuesday.

Mrs. Harry Porterfield and children started to Vinita, Okla., Monday morning to visit parents and other relatives who reside near Vinita.

Earl Heller, who is in the employ of the Blue Valley Creamery company of Chicago, spent last Sunday visiting his uncle, C. G. McMillen.

Adelbert McMillen is home from Columbus to spend a couple of weeks' vacation with home folks. He will finish at the university the coming year.

PICTURE FRAMING at Crane's

Mrs. Otis Wallace of Fairbury, Neb., who has been visiting friends in the city, left for her home Tuesday evening.

Fern Theatre
We Show Three New Reels of Pictures every night.
"Billie"
Drama.
By James Oppenheim.
"The Turning Point"
Drama.
"Scenes in Cuba"
Senic.
"The Sheriff's Daughter"
A western play full of the life of the plains.

EASTMAN KODAKS and SUPPLIES at Crane's

Mrs. William Hartman and children of Barnard, who have been visiting in Illinois, were in Maryville Tuesday on their way home.

Asters

Gladiolus, roses, carnations, sweet peas, etc., fresh cut daily. Beautiful potted ferns of all kinds and sizes, begonias, caladimus, etc. Potted asters in bloom are very decorative.

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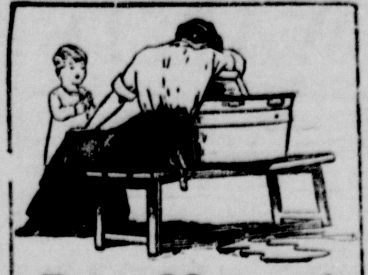

Poor Mamma!

Did you ever come home to such a scene as this? Didn't it make you feel like a brute to think that your wife had to wear herself out at such drudgery?

Put a stop to it now! On payments of only

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you can give her an Electric Washing and Wringing Machine that will abolish washday drudgery from your home.

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How do you like to be the repair man? Not a very pleasant subject No doubt the job would ruffle your feelings as well as your clothes.

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Every inch one pushes beyond the normal distance of 12 inches after eye-failure begins at 38, means an inch of danger. Ninety-nine persons out of a hundred may do it with safety. You may be the one that can't. The man having the best eyes when old age comes will be the one that heeds this first call for help.

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KILLED SOLDIERS AFTER SURRENDER

Federal Guards in Nicaragua Massacred by Rebels.

TELEGRAPH WIRES DESTROYED

Following Insurgent Victory Entire Garrison Was Murdered Instead of Being Held as Prisoners of War.

Managua, Nicaragua, Aug. 21.—Surrender did not satisfy a force of insurgents who stormed and took the city of Leon, to the North of Managua. Blood alone sufficed and the federal guards fell in massacre. According to the reports received in the capital 430 of the 500 soldiers died in the slaughter that followed the insurgent victory.

When news was received by the government that the liberals at Leon had risen in revolt, General Chamorro dispatched troops to suppress the movement and reinforce the garrison of the city.

Garrison Surrendered.

The government troops, on reaching Leon, camped on the plaza in the center of the town. The insurgents, who greatly outnumbered the government force, attacked the city, and after a fierce engagement the garrison surrendered. Instead of holding their captives prisoners of war after the submission, it is reported that the troops were slaughtered. Following the repulse of the insurgents after a four days' battle at Managua, in which the American marines and bluejackets from the gunboat Annapolis and from Panama played a prominent part as defenders of the capital, the insurgents retired, ostensibly to their headquarters at Masaya, the capital of the department of the same name lying to the south of Managua.

Liberal Generals in Command.

It was learned by the government however, that the insurgents had sent large quantities of arms and ammunition from Masaya to Leon through the mountain passes and that the rebels were hurriedly concentrating their forces at the northern town. It also became known that Gen. Mena, the deposed secretary of war and leader of the insurrection, whose health has been greatly impaired, had gone to Leon to direct the operations of his men.

Lieut. Edward H. Conger of the American marine battalion now stationed in Managua returned to the capital from Masaya, where he went to confer with Gen. Mena. Lieut. Conger reports that Gen. Mena is severely ill and that the liberal generals, Rebit and Amend, are in command of the insurgents in the South.

Communication between Managua and the outside world by way of Corinto, on the Pacific side of the Nicaragut, either by wire or by railroad, has been cut since Friday. The severance of communication was caused by the uprising on that day at Leon.

PRIMARY FIGURES INACCURATE

Carelessness of Kansas County Clerks Causes Mixup in Official Returns on U. S. Senator.

Topeka, Aug. 21.—The carelessness of two or three Kansas county clerks has caused a bad mixup in the official primary returns for United States senator, in the counties where there are more than one legislative district.

The figures of the total vote in the county and the total vote by legislative districts do not tally. The county clerk figured up Bourbon county's total vote for Republican and Democratic candidates for United States senator, but when he got into the legislative districts he did not have enough votes for some of the candidates, and too many for others to fit the totals for the county. The same thing happened in other counties.

EXCURSIONISTS WILL BENEFIT

Break in Railroad Passenger Rate Agreement May Result in General Reduction.

St. Louis, Aug. 21.—Following the abrogation of the agreement by which all the trunk lines in the United States voted against running summer excursions for less than a two-cent a mile fare in 1912, a passenger rate war threatens.

This city started action when one road made a round trip rate of $6 to Toledo. This was followed by similar action of the Wabash on the ground that the Clover Leaf, having set the example, the Wabash was placed in the attitude of self-protection. Other Middle West lines, it is said, are preparing to follow the example of the Wabash and Clover Leaf. This, it is claimed, probably will reduce excursion rates.

Senator's Brother Arrested.

Sioux City, Ia., Aug. 21.—F. A. Kenyon, brother of Senator Kenyon, accused of forgery in connection with operations of a land and gravel company, surrendered himself to authorities here and was released on bond. He refused to discuss the charges against him.

GEN. JOHN PERSHING

General Pershing accompanies Secretary of State Knox to Japan as his military aid on the mission to attend the funeral of the late emperor.

ANDRAE ASKS INVESTIGATION

REFORMER'S STATEMENT DENIED BY PRISON WARDEN.

Courts Inquiry Regarding Alleged Torture of Prisoners—Will Pay Expense Himself.

Jefferson City, Aug. 21.—Col. Henry Andrae, warden of the penitentiary here, says that if charges of cruelty to convicts, preferred against the prison management here by Dr. Frank H Loveland of Topeka, Kan., are true he will resign at once. He says also he will pay the expenses of an investigation and after affording every opportunity asked for to make a full investigation he will abide by the result thereof and resign at once if Dr Loveland's charges are sustained.

Dr. Loveland was here to deliver a Chautauqua lecture. He visited the penitentiary and was shown through the institution by Warden Andrae Dr. Loveland is quoted as saying that he saw "20 men strung up by their wrists, their toes barely touching the floor, and the blood streaming down their arms."

Warden Andrae says the statement attributed to Dr. Loveland is absolutely false.

Warden Andrae is very indignant over the statements credited to Dr. Loveland, whom he is inclined to consider a sensation monger.

Deputy Warden Porter Gilvin confirmed every statement made by the warden. He said Dr. Loveland, who had requested to be shown through the prison, was accorded every courtesy and nothing that he wished to investigate was withheld from him.

None of the state officials here credit Dr. Loveland's charge, and the same is true of the citizens of the town who know the prison well.

Warden Andrae has instituted more reforms in the prison than any other warden. He abolished flogging and dosing obstreperous convicts with water to the point of strangulation and death, and it was on his suggestion that striped uniforms were abolished.

WOMAN'S TEARS MOVED SENATE

Passed Bill Appropriating Money to Pay Husband's Claim, After Veto by President.

Washington, Aug. 21.—A woman's tears melted the hearts of the United States senators. Mrs. Katherine McDonald, a plucky Wyoming woman, came here to urge her sick husband's claim for $11,000 damages because of the failure of the contractor who built the Shoshone dam in that state.

McDonald was a storekeeper and accepted many of the vouchers issued by the contractor. Inability to collect made it necessary to sacrifice his business and mortgage his home.

Seated in the gallery of the house of representatives she wept when the bill she had caused to be introduced failed to pass over President Taft's veto. Despairing she left Washington for Wyoming to rejoin her husband and three children.

The senate later, notwithstanding the veto, passed a new bill appropriating $42,000 to pay McDonald's claims for supplies and labor.

PLATFORM BROKE WITH CROWD

At Notification Ceremonies of Gov. Marshall of Indiana Many Were Injured.

Indianapolis, Aug. 21.—A platform behind the speakers' stand collapsed at the Marshall notification ceremonies while Alton B. Parker of New York was delivering his speech to Gov. T. R. Marshall, Democratic nominee for vice-president.

More than a dozen persons were injured, some of them seriously.

More than 200 men, women and children were precipitated a distance of 20 feet to the ground and buried in the wreckage.

Motion Pictures as Targets.

Paris, Aug. 21.—Motion picture targets are now being tested by the French government to teach the soldiers to shoot at human forms in action and are said to be a success.

KANSAS CONTEST TAKES NEW TURN

Restraining Order Prevents Board From Certifying T. R. Electors.

CERTIFICATES ALREADY ISSUED

Judge McPherson's Order Puts Case Before Judge Sanford in Denver —Outcome Depends on Harvey County Decision.

Topeka, Aug. 21.—An order issued by Judge McPherson, restraining the Kansas state canvassing board from certifying to the secretary of state the names of the eight Roosevelt electoral candidates nominated at the recent primary as the Republican electoral candidates, was filed in the United States district court here late at night.

The matter will be heard at Denver, September 2, before Judge Sanborn of the United States circuit court.

Judge McPherson granted the temporary restraining order at Red Oak Ia., in the absence of Judge John C Pollock of the Kansas district, who is away on his vacation. The papers were filed by D. R. Hite of Kansas City.

Papers Are Served.

The action was brought in the names of D. W. Bemuth and others who signed the petitions of the Roosevelt electors. They charged that they signed the petitions under a misapprehension, believing the electors would vote for the convention nominee, and alleged that many Republican voters would practically be disfranchised by the electors voting for any other than the Republican convention nominee. Papers were served on Gov. Stubbs, State Auditor Davis Secretary of State Sessions and Treasurer Tulley.

The state canvassing board issued certificates of nomination after canvassing the vote, but the restraining order was issued in time to prevent the secretary of state from sending the names to the county clerks to go on the official ballots.

Appeal is Pending.

The same plaintiffs and several others, who brought the suit in Harvey county before the primary to enjoin the county clerks from printing on the primary ballots the names of these eight Roosevelt electoral candidates are plaintiffs in this proceeding. The case brought in Harvey county is now in the United States supreme court. That tribunal will decide probably in October whether the Roosevelt electors have a right to run in the Republican column in Kansas.

This proceeding in the United States district court by which the state canvassing board is restrained from certifying the names of the Roosevelt electoral candidates as the Republican electoral candidates centers the final determination of the whole controversy upon the decision of the United States supreme court in the Harvey county case.

HIGH WINDS DID MUCH DAMAGE

Many Places in Kansas Report Small Buildings Wrecked and Wires Down.

Topeka, Aug. 21.—High winds accompanying the rains, which were general over central and northeastern Kansas, damaged windows, trees, small buildings and telegraph and telephone wires at many points. At Salina many residents sought cyclone cellars. One and a quarter inches of rain fell in 20 minutes there. The wind reached a velocity of 60 miles an hour at Downs and blew down nearly all telephone wires. An inch of rain, the heaviest of the season at Clay Center, resulted in the washing out of a small Union Pacific bridge and a delay in traffic.

Previous to the rain the mercury reached 102½ degrees at Independence, the highest this year.

MOB HANGED ARKANSAS BLACK

Officers Overpowered and Jail Door Battered—Alleged Accomplice Helped Lynchers.

Russellville, Ark., Aug. 21.—Monroe Franklin, a negro, charged with attacking Mrs. Cora Tolbert, was dragged from the Pope county jail here by a mob of 200 men and hanged. The sheriff and constable on guard in the outer office were overpowered and the jail door battered in. The lynching was quiet and not a shot was fired. Another negro, Peter Gray, implicated by the confession of Franklin and also in jail, assisted the mob in putting the noose about Franklin's neck.

First Ballot for Many.

New York, Aug. 21.—The national committees of both parties will devote special attention to the voters who will cast their ballot for the first time this year for a president. It is estimated that 5,000,000 new voters will appear. There will be 3,650,000 men enfranchised by age, and 1,350,000 women and newly naturalized citizens. For the first time, in several states, women will vote for president.

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Notice to Lee Road Donators.

All persons who donated to the fund for improving the Lee road are requested to meet at the court house Saturday, August 24, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing one new member of the board to fill the vacancy caused by the removal of L. T. Lee from the county.

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To Attend Meetings.

County Superintendent Oakerson will leave Thursday morning for Grant City, Savannah and Albany, where he will attend county teachers' meetings.

Mrs. J. A. Wiggins of Texarkana, Texas, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Ira Williams, and family, left for her home Wednesday morning.

Mrs. E. Carp went to St. Joseph Tuesday evening to visit friends and relatives.

Normal Supplies, special prices at **Crane's**

Two Farms at Auction!

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Wednesday, September 4, 1912

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IMPROVEMENTS ON THIS FARM

Consist of a good 7-room house all finished throughout, good brick cellar, good cistern on the porch, good well at house, wood house, splendid new chicken house, large double granary and corn crib, shingle roof; one corn crib 8x100 feet shingle roof, cement feeding floor 16x100 feet under a good roof, hog house with cement floor and shingle roof size about 12x50 feet, large barn, splendid well with new windmill, one cement watering tank about 10 feet square, one steel tank about 8 feet square, one large round wooden tank all connected up to fill from the windmill, one set of wooden stock scales and other buildings such as work shop, cow barn, etc.

THIS FARM

Is all fenced practically hog tight with woven wire, and cross fence. All wet land on the farm is tiled in first class shape, 200 acres lays smooth and level, 50 acres rolling. The rolling land is in blue grass pasture fenced hog tight. 125 acres in cultivation, 40 acres in timothy and clover meadow. Balance in pasture.

THIS 250 ACRE FARM

Has gravel pit on it that the income from it amounts to from $1,000 to $1,500 a year net, which will pay the interest and taxes on this farm figuring it at $100 per acre. The gravel from this farm will make a man a fortune itself in a few years.

THE OTHER FARM HAS 313 ACRES IN IT

And lays ½ mile north of the 250-acre farm on the main traveled road. It has a six-roomed house in fair condition, small stable. This farm is fenced practically hog tight with woven wire, and cross fenced. 50 acres in cultivation, balance in meadow and pasture. About 80 acres of this farm lays rolling, balance lays smooth and level.

THESE FARMS

Are right in the corn belt and no better corn land in Iowa or Missouri than these farms are.

MARYVILLE

Is the county seat of Nodaway county, a town of about 7,000 with splendid churches and schools, having the State Normal there. Four good banks, splendid stores of all kinds. It has about 12 miles of paving, 2 good railroads and are putting up a Government Building now that will cost about $150,000. Maryville is the best town in Northwest Missouri. Nodaway county is the leading county in the state for corn, hogs and cattle.

TERMS

$1,000 cash or certified check day of sale. $1,000 March 1st, 1913. Balance $1,000 a year at 6 per cent interest. Sale to take place on the farm.

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By automobile will be furnished to all prospective buyers from Maryville Tuesday, September 3d and day of sale to look at these farms. For any information about this sale or the land write

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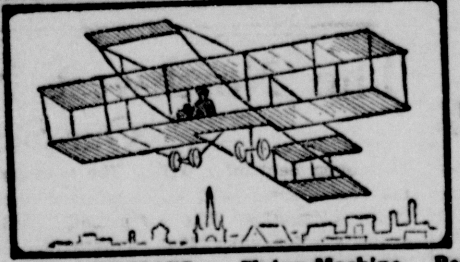

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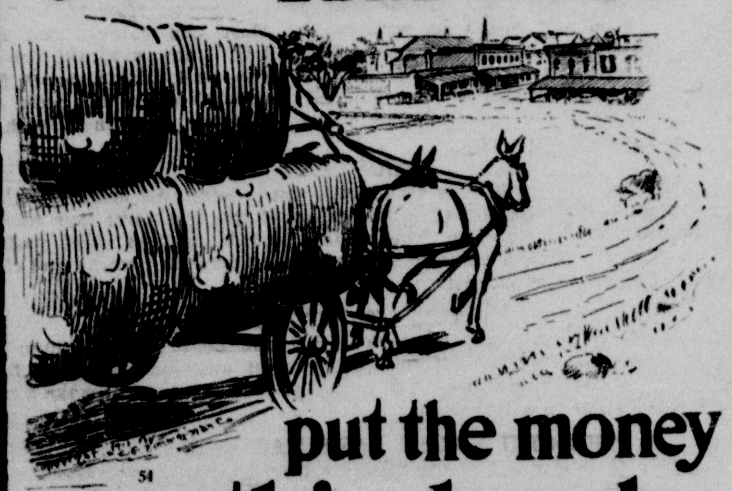

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Do not take your harvest money home with you. There are thousands of thefts of money every year that is kept in this way. Put your harvest money in this bank--withdraw it when you please.

Start an account like all the other farmers who have made successes in this world. Commence today—here.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

CAPITAL - - - - - $100,000.00
SURPLUS - - - - - $22,000.00

On Visit to Sister.

John W. Herren and his sister, Mrs. H. H. Karnes of Fairfield, Ia., who has been visiting in his home, left Tuesday evening for Logan, Kan., to visit their sister, Mrs. M. E. Shurtz.

HEARD IN MARYVILLE.

Bad Backs Made Strong—Kidney Ills Corrected.

All over Maryville you hear it. Doan's Kidney Pills are keeping up the good work, curing weak kidneys, driving away backache, correcting urinary ills. Maryville people are telling about it—telling of bad backs made sound again. You can believe the testimony of your own townspeople. They tell it for the benefit of you who are suffering. If your back aches, if you feel lame, sore and miserable, if the kidneys act too frequently, or passages are painful, scanty and off color, use Doan's Kidney Pills, the remedy that has helped so many of your friends and neighbors. Follow this Maryville citizen's advice and give Doan's a chance to do the same for you.

Mrs. James Fisher, 804 East Fifth street, Maryville, Mo., says: "In the summer of 1911 I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, which were procured at Love's drug store (now Love & Gaugh's drug store) and I found that they gave me relief from hard, dull backaches and pains in my loins and sides. I heartily endorse Doan's Kidney Pills and I am positive that they are a dependable medicine."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

See the twenty miles match motorcycle race at the Maitland fair ground next week, Tuesday, August 27, after the fair, between Ralph Bates, the colored boy of Omaha, and Glen Smith of St. Joe. Also fifty miles of professional races.

SALVATION ARMY HEAD IS DEAD

General Booth Passes Away at His Home in London.

APPOINTED HIS OWN SUCCESSOR

Name of Future Commander Placed in Sealed Envelope Years Ago, to be Opened After His Death.

London, Aug. 21.—The Rev. William Booth, general and commander-in-chief of the Salvation army, died at 10:30 p. m. He was born at Nottingham, England, in 1829.

The Salvation army leader was unconscious for 40 hours previous to his death. The medical bulletins had not revealed the seriousness of the general's condition, which for a week, it is now admitted, was hopeless.

Septic Poisoning.

Twelve weeks ago General Booth underwent an operation for the removal of a cataract in his left eye. For two days after the operation indications justified the hope of his recovery. Then septic poisoning set in, and from that time the patient's health steadily declined. The general recognized that the end was near and often spoke of his work as being finished. Throughout his illness, his son, Branwell Booth, chief of staff of the army, and Mrs. Bramwell Booth attended him.

The evangelist died at his residence, near London, where he had been confined to his bed since the operation.

Successor's Name Unkionwn.

Public interest now centers in the question of a successor of the late commander. Under the constitution of the Salvation army, the general nominates his successor. This General Booth did several years ago, placing the name in a sealed envelope, which was deposited with the Salvation army's lawyers with instructions that it should not be opened until after his death. While nobody knows what name the envelope incloses, the general belief among the Salvation army is that it will prove to be that of Bramwell Booth, who for 39 years has been its chief-of-staff.

Where General Booth will be buried has not yet been decided. While every English member of the Salvation army is convinced that no man was more worthy of burial in Westminster Abbey, it is not expected this honor will be awarded General Booth by the Abbey authorities. It is thought the commander-in-chief's last resting place will be by that of his wife, who 21 years ago, was buried in Abney park, Stoke Newington.

MAY NOT ALLOW RATE INCREASE

Shippers' Protest May Result in Permanent Suspension of Proposed Freight Raise.

Washington, Aug. 21.—Trans-Continental railways are facing suspension by the interstate commerce commission of advances in freight rates proposed recently. The new rates to become effective September 2 would increase the transportation charges of many commodities from the Atlantic seaboard to Pacific coast terminals.

Vigorous protests are bing received from Eastern manufacturers and shippers and from Pacific coast jobbers and merchants. It appears likely that many of the proposed increases will be suspended pending a thorough inquiry.

Miss Tarbell Refuses Post.

New York, Aug. 21.—Mrs. J. Bordan Harriman was elected president at an executive committee meeting of the woman's national Wilson and Marshall organization. The place was at first offered to Miss Ida Tarbell, but she said she could be more useful writing about the tariff.

ELEPHANT TERRORIZED CHICAGO

Crazed Through Want of Water Animal Went on War Path—Made Police Climb Tree.

Chicago, Aug. 21.—An elephant, crazed, it is said, by its keeper's neglect to give it water, burst its chains and escaped from a show in Englewood. Hundreds of persons were terrorized by the maddened beast, which, in its flight through streets, smashed fences, uprooted trees and overturned one or two small buildings. Police sent in wagons to capture it were forced by the elephant to climb trees. Showmen finally coaxed it into a corner and shackled it.

Mother Saved Her Baby.

Milwaukee, Aug. 21.—Mother love prompted Mrs. Tillie Hoffmeister, 26 years old, to rush back into a flame filled room and rescue her baby, strapped to a high chair. The heroic act may result in her death. Mrs. Hoffmeister poured gasoline into the stove by mistake.

Lost Balloon is Safe.

Los Angeles, Aug. 21.—The balloon California that went up from Venice carrying five passengers, was sighted at Santa Paula, between Ventura and Santa Barbara. It was feared the balloon had been blown out to sea

Catarrh, Asthma, Colds and Catarrhal Deafness Quickly Go.

Here are some symptoms of catarrh; if you have any of them get rid of them by breathing HYOMEI; it is guaranteed to banish catarrh.

Is your throat raw?
Do you sneeze often?
Is your breath foul?
Are your eyes watery?
Do you take cold easily?
Is your nose stopped up?
Do you have to spit often?
Do crusts form in your nose?
Are you worse in damp weather?
Do you blow your nose a great deal?
Are you losing your sense of smell?
Does your mouth taste bad mornings?
Do you have a dull feeling in your head?
Do you have a discharge from the nose?
Does mucus drop in back of throat?

Complete HYOMEI outfit, which includes inhaler, $1.00, extra bottles, if needed, 50 cents at the Orear-Henry Drug company and druggists everywhere.

To Hold Protracted Meetings.

Protracted meetings will begin at the Mt. Ayr M. E. church on Monday evening, August 26. Everybody is invited to attend all of these services. Rev. W. E. Royston of Barnard is the pastor of the church.

Falling Hair, Dandruff, Scalp Itch Vanishes.

PARISIAN Sage will quickly end all hair and scalp troubles and make your hair so silky, luxuriant and lustrous that all will admire it.

Banishes scalp itch over night. Cleans up dandruff in short order and kills dandruff germs. After the first bottle your hair will be lustrous and so full of life that it will be admired by all.

Be sure and get PARISIAN Sage. Girl with auburn hair on every carton.

It is not a dye, or a hair dope—but a clean, refreshing, invigorating tonic. At the Koch Pharmacy and dealers everywhere. Large bottles 50 cents.

Auto Party Left Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Robinson and sons, with Homer Shipps as chauffeur, left Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock on an extended auto trip to Chicago. They went from here by the way of Creston.

Good Farm for Sale

I offer for sale the John McDowell farm lying 1 mile north of Maryville, consisting of 243 acres, all suitable for cultivation. Has several good wells, a fine spring, good eight room house, large barn and good fencing. Is ¼ of a mile from school house. Must be sold to close up an estate, will make good price and carry good loan on place. Inquire of

SARAH McDOWELL
304 West 12th St.
Maryville, Mo.

How to See Colorado and the Yellowstone

By all means plan your summer vacation to include Colorado. A week of that glorious air will do you good for a lifetime. And that wonderful sky! Even Italy cannot match it for clear, deep, turquoise beauty. Then the mountains—they tower above you everywhere seeming to raise your spirit with them into the cool and restful cloudland. It's a new experience.

But you must also see the Yellowstone to complete your vacation. And it's easy if you take advantage of the reduced fare rates offered to summer tourists. Your ticket will take you through Colorado, the Regal Rockies and on to Salt Lake City and then swing you northward to the wonderful Yellowstone country. Neither pictures nor words can give you an idea of the beauty of the geysers, mud volcanoes, brilliantly colored rocks, mysterious rivers, thundering waterfalls, precipices, chasms, canons and the million-year old mountains you will see there. Your trip will give you a fresh enthusiasm.

The trip out and back is part of the fun, if you go on one of the Burlington's luxurious limiteds. It does not cost any more to go that way and there isn't any good reason why you shouldn't have the best there is.

I am employed by the Burlington Route to answer all your questions. I'll tell you the cost, the best places to see, send you our handsome folders, and even arrange to reserve a Pullman berth, if desired, if you'll tell me about when you would like to go. When you write me, a postal will do. W. E. Goforth, ticket agent, Burlington Route.

P. S.—The date of the Pike's Peak Region annual "Shan Kive" and Summer Carnival has been set as Aug. 27, 28 and 29. It will be held at Colorado Springs—Manitou, and will be larger and grander than ever. You ought to arrange to be there at that time, if possible.

WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (10 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 10. Cash must accompany order for these small amounts.

WANTED—Clean cotton rags, free from lint. Democrat-Forum. 3-tf

WANTED—Girl at Maryville Steam Laundry. 2-tf

WANTED—A girl to learn sewing. Apply Dietz & Keck, the tailors. 15-21

FOR RENT—Modern 5-room flat, steam heat, close in. E. D. Orear. 21-tf

WANTED—A girl mornings for housework for small family. Enquire at this office. 21-23

WANTED—Work on farm by married man with family experience. Inquire Democrat-Forum. 19-21

FOR SALE—Grapes that are just ripe for jelly. Phone your order to Hanamo 7. O. L. Holmes. 20-22

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Rooms for Rent" cards at this office, only 10 cents each.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Tents, camp stools and cots, picnic plates, knives and forks. Mark's 5 and 10c store.

FOR SALE—Heavy manilla wrapping paper, 50x30 inches, 5c the sheet. Democrat-Forum job office. 16-tf

LOST—Pair gold rimmed glasses, between town and the Chautauqua grounds. Mrs. Joe Miller, Clearmont, Mo., R. D. 2. 19-21

LOST—A week ago, small gold chain and cross with floral design engraved, two knots in chair. Katherine Yehle. 19-21

WANTED—TO BUY 3,000 pounds of old rags, copper, rubbers and all kinds of old metal. R. C. Anthony, Hanamo 258 Red. 24-tf

FOR SALE—Modern 6-room house and 3 acres on Prather avenue. See Mrs. W. H. Davenport at Logan Holt's. 6-6

FOR RENT—September 1st, the John Linneman property on East Seventh street. See Burt Rowley at lumber yard. 21-22

FOR SALE—Small herd Aberdeen Angus cattle, team of horses, 2 and 3 years old, and a large team of 4-year-old horses. Mason & Wilderman. 9-tf

INSURE with Hyslop. Fire tornado (farm or city), plate glass, automobile liability, accident or damages health. Contract and court bonds romptly executed.

BUSINESS CARDS

F. S. GRUNDY
PLUMBING AND HEATING.
We Never Sleep.
Hanamo 46. Bell 314. Maryville, Mo

W. F. BOLIN
Architect and General Contractor
Wants to draw your plans and build your house. Make your new screens or repair your old ones. All work done by first class workmen. Call Hanamo 268.

L. V. LAWLER
Piano Tuning and Repairing
Graduate Tuner with factory experience. Best of references. Prices reasonable. All work guaranteed. Phone Bell 341 or leave orders Field-Lippman Music Co.

Maryville Plumbing Co.
Plumbing & Heating
Hanamo phone 50; Bell 341.
216 East Third Street

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

Dr Chas. T. Bell
SURGERY.
Internal Medicine.
Emergency calls answered promptly day or night. Office hours, 9 to 11 a. m.; 2 to 5 p. m. All phones.

K. C. CUMMINS, M. D.
URGERY and GENERAL PRACTICE
Office over First National bank
Calls answered promptly day and night. All phones.

Chas. E. Stilwell
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW.
Office over Maryville National bank
Maryville, Mo.

Rain Amounted to .42 of an Inch

The rain in Maryville on Tuesday amounted to .42 of an inch, according to Weather Observer J. R. Brink.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ferritor returned Wednesday morning from a few days visit in St. Louis, Bloomington and Springfield, Ill.

DAILY DEMOCRAT-FORUM

(Successor to the Maryville Republican)

VOLUME 3. MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 21, 1912 NO. 68.

VOTERS NOMINATE?

POLITICIANS WONDERING IF THEY HAVEN'T BENN CHEATED.

WRITE NAMES ON BALLOT

In This Way Republicans May Have Nominated Candidates for State Senator and Court of Appeals.

If voters at a primary, independent of any formal filing with the secretary of state, have power to make nominations by simply writing in the names of candidates the Republican party will be confronted with a peculiar situation in the district of the Kansas City court of appeals, and also in this senatorial district.

In these districts no Republican candidates sought primary nominations. Notwithstanding this the primary voters wrote in the names of persons they favored and the question has been raised as to whether this constitutes a valid nomination. If it does the party committees will be confronted with the task of getting the withdrawal of these involuntary candidates before attempting to fill these vacancies upon the ticket.

A precedent cited for the contention that voters may make a valid nomination independent of the provisions of the primary act requiring the payment of a filing fee, and the presentation of a formal declaration, is the case of A. R. Marshall, who was nominated in 1910 over another candidate who formally filed for the office of circuit clerk of Randolph county.

Marshall did not file a declaration of candidacy and did not pay a filing fee, but enough Democrats wrote his name on the ballot to defeat his opponent, who filed, and the attorney general held this to be a valid nomination.

The primary law provides in section 5859 that "the name of no candidate shall be printed upon any official ballot at any primary election unless at least sixty days prior to such primary a written declaration shall have been filed by the candidate, as provided in this article, stating his full name, residence, office for which he proposes as a candidate, the party upon whose ticket he is to be a candidate, and that if nominated and elected to such office he will qualify."

This section refers only to printing the names upon the ballot. There is nothing in it prohibiting a candidate for office having his name written on the ballot.

A. M. Tibbetts of Worth county has been honored, without solicitation on his part, by the Republicans of the wsetern half of the state by being named as their candidate for judge of the Kansas City court of appeals by 21 votes, which is a majority of 5 over the total votes cast for nine opponents, whose names also were written in for the same place by voters.

His closest involuntary rival was W. J. Gibson, who had his name written in four times, and then came C. B. DuBoise, who received 3 votes in the same manner.

A peculiar feature is that the votes for the three were cast in Worth county, although there are fifty-seven counties and Kansas City in the district. Not M. Lacy and H. S. Conrad got 2 votes each and H. L. Acton, K. B. Randolph, Daniel Miller, John Ambrose and W. H. Crawford 1 vote each.

Tibbetts, unless objections are offered and a contest ensues, will have his name printed on the official ballots as the Republican nominee for the Kansas City court of appeals.

In the First senatorial district John L. Tilton of Worth county received 55 votes by having his name written in, against 2 votes cast for A. M. Tibbetts of Worth county under the same conditions. There was no Republican entered for the nomination of senator in this district.

Left for North Dakota.

R. A. Strawbridge, Charles Holt and Sam McClurg left Tuesday evening for Stanton, N. D., on a business trip and other points in that state. Mr. Strawbridge will visit his son, Ross Strawbridge, and wife, at Stanton, and expects to be gone month.

Miss Verna Woodard went to St. Joseph Tuesday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. Earl Phillips.

DO YOU NEED GLASSES?

Eyes Tested Free

Glasses Accurately Fitted by expert Optician. Repairs Promptly Executed at CRANE'S.

TO BE A CAR SHORTAGE.

Circulars Being Received in Maryville From Railroad Officials and Coal Men.

According to the circulars being received in Maryville from railroad officials and coal companies, and also according to advices received by W. E. Goforth, agent of the Burlington, and E. L. Ferritor, agent of the Wabash, there will be the greatest car shortage the American railroads have ever experienced this fall and winter.

One railroad official, in discussing the impending car shortage, said:

"The car shortage this fall will be the most acute the railroads of this country ever have felt. Great crops everywhere and an increase in all industries is the cause. For the last several months the lumber business has been increasing and there is now a big movement in lumber. The movement of coal is much larger than it was last year and there has been a considerable movement of coal all summer. A month from now the big coal movement will begin, and with the great crops to be hauled I cannot see where the cars will come from

'We originate most of the tonnage of our line and could keep pretty well up with it if it were not for the drain in cars by the grain carrying roads. The wheat and corn crops will require all the available cars, to say nothing of the cotton crop, which promises to be larger than last year, and the rice crop, which is a big item in the south.

"Mining is now very active. In fact, the railroads are at the point where they will have more business in all lines, except live stock, than they can handle. A shortage of cars may cause a general coal shortage."

Darius Miller, president of the C., B. & Q., has sent letters to the large customers of the railroad, informing them of the impending car shortage, due to large crops. The Burlington has ordered 10,500 new freight cars, but this will not be enough to meet the demand. Mr. Miller advised his customers to order their coal now if they wished to avoid a possibility of high prices or a shortage.

COMMITTEE TO MEET THURSDAY.

A Meeting of the Progressive Party Committee to Select Date for County Convention.

A meeting of the county committee of the Bull Moose party in Nodaway has been called for Thursday afternoon for 2 o'clock by Chairman W. W. Glass and Secretary F. P. Robinson of the committee. The purpose of the meeting is to select a date for the county convention and to talk about putting a full Progressive ticket in the county. The county convention will probably be held on Saturday, August 31, and ten delegates to the state convention at St. Louis will be selected, and the convention will decide whether to put a county ticket in the field or endorse the Republican candidates.

This has been the source of considerable discussion among the progressives the past week. Wherever three or four were gathered together the question comes up and is left unsettled.

"Well," said one Bull Moose follower yesterday, "I don't care if we do endorse the Republican nominees. They are pretty good fellows and I am mainly interested in the head of the ticket."

"But just wait a minute," came from another Roosevelt enthusiast. "I have always been a Republican and have nothing against these men personally, but we can't build up a new party and make it permanent by helping to elect men in the old parties to office. I, too, am interested principally in the presidential race, but Mr. Roosevelt wants the Progressive party to be a fixture and not a flash in the pan. I have enlisted with the progressives not for this year only but for keeps, and the Republican party looks to me now just like the Democratic or any other old party. If we want success we must roll our own snowball."

"I don't know but you are right," came from another, and so the discussio ngoes on.

DEATH OF CHILD AT QUITMAN.

Infant Child of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Young Died Tuesday Night.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Young of Quitman died Tuesday night at 8:50 o'clock, after a several days' illness. The child was 1 month and 2 days old. The funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Young home, conducted by Rev. Harlan of Maitland. Burial took place in the Quitman cemetery.

Mrs. Woods of Arkoe, who has been dangerously ill of appendicitis for several days, is better and is improving.

FATHER ARRESTED

JOHN MOORE HAD COME TO ATTEND FUNERAL OF HIS WIFE.

HIS SANITY QUESTIONED

Proceedings Were Dismissed—Burial of Mrs. Eliza Moore Took Place Tuesday at Miriam Cemetery.

When John Moore, formerly of this city, stepped from the Wabash train Tuesday evening, on his arrival from Pueblo, Col., having been summoned by the death of his wife, Mrs. Eliza Moore, he was taken in charge by Deputy Sheriff George L. Evans on an information sworn out by his son, Charles Moore of this city, charging him with insanity.

Mr. Moore came to Maryville in the company of his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Woodard of Pueblo, formerly Miss Luella Moore of this city. They came from Pueblo, expecting to arrive in Maryville on the noon train Tuesday in time for the funeral services, which were held at the First M. E. church Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. They missed their train by twenty minutes in Kansas City and came on the Great Western to Conception Junction, expecting to come by automobile from that point. But owing to the heavy rain they were unable to secure a car to Maryville.

Mr. Moore and his deceased wife left Maryville last November to spend the winter with their daughter in Pueblo, and remained at her home until a few weeks ago, when they went to Kansas City to the home of their son, Sylvester Moore.

Three weeks ago Mrs. Moore was taken ill and was removed to the Red Cross hospital, where her death occurred on Sunday night at 10 o'clock. Her death was due to a general decline.

About the time that Mrs. Moore was taken ill her husband became sick and was placed in one of the hospitals there. Mrs. Woodard came to Kansas City about a week ago and took her father with her to Pueblo, as her mother seemed better at that time. They were in Pueblo only four days when word came to them of her death.

Mrs. Woodard was greatly surprised when her father was taken in charge Tuesday night on a complaint of insanity.

Mr. Moore's case was set for hearing in the probate court before Judge W. H. Conn Wednesday morning. He appeared in the court, and before a jury was drawn the case was dismissed by Charles Moore.

The attorneys for Charles Moore dismissed the case in probate court against John Moore, as one of the attorneys stated, for the reason that they could not get the depositions of several physicians in Kansas City in time for the case as set today.

The funeral services of Mrs. Moore were held Tuesday afternoon and the body was held for burial at the undertaking rooms of the Maryville Furniture company. The burial services were private and were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Miriam cemetery. The pallbearers were O. C. Hanna, J. F. Montgomery, S. H. Kemp, C. D. Hooker, W. A. Miller and J. L. Conley. The other children at the burial services were Sylvester Moore of Kansas City and Mrs. Belle Moore Russell of Tacoma, Wash.

TO SERVE SUPPER.

Epworth League of the Barnard Church to Have Supper There, Proceeds for a New Piano.

A supper will be served on Saturday evening, August 24, by the Epworth League of the M. E. Church of Barnard at that place. Rev. W. E. Royston, pastor of the church, says that everything to eat will be at your command. The proceeds of the supper will go toward the new piano of the church.

Card of Thanks.

The children and grandchildren of the late Mrs. Sarah Evans, who died at her home in this city Sunday, wish to express their sincere gratitude to all who assisted them in their sorrow or contributed to the comfort or pleasure of the deceased during her illness.

Quarterly Meeting.

The fourth quarterly meeting of the Barnard M. E. church charge will be held at Barnard on September 4, at 10 o'clock a. m. All of the official members are requested to attend.

Attend the Maryville Business College. It prepares for life. Opens Sept. 3.

ELMO PICNIC IS ON

BIG CROWD IN ATTENDANCE ON THE OPENING DAY.

ONE DAY FOR EACH PARTY

Political Speakers, Base Ball Games, Vaudeville Company and Other Attractions on the Bill of Fare.

The Elmo annual picnic opened up finely Wednesday morning and by 1 o'clock a crowd of 2,000 people had arrived and still they were coming, an excellent first day crowd.

Shepherd Leffler of Maryville spoke Wednesday afternoon in the interest of the Progressive party.

On Thursday afternoon there will be Democratic speakers from Maryville, John M. Dawson, W. A. Blagg and Anderson Craig, Democratic candidate for state senator.

Friday afternoon will be given to prominent Republican speakers.

Wednesday afternoon the Elmo base ball nine played Westboro. They will play Coin on Thursday and Hopkins on Friday.

The Great Western Vaudeville company will play each night in the opera house.

IS FEELING BETTER NOW.

Since the Arrival of the Exclusive Caps Magnus Tate is On the Road to an Early Recovery.

Look at Magnus Tate tonight and see the broad, happy smile on his face. No, he is not engaged, nor has any one given him an automobile. The caps have come, that's all.

You don't know about the caps. Well, weeks and weeks ago, when Tate and Leland Andrews took their trip. Magnus ordered some fine exclusive pattern caps for the boys here. Magnus said they would be here the first of August.

The first of August came, but no caps. The time was extended to the fifth, and then the tenth. Still the caps did not come, and the boys were growing desperate. Since then they have been running to Magnus after every train came in to know if the caps were here. Magnus grew worried, deep lines came in his face, his hair almost turned gray, and he looked haggard and worn. The responsibility was too much. Toward the end Magnus wasn't really sure whether he had ordered any caps or not. He thought he might have been taken in by some "phony" house.

But they are here, and Magnus is rapidly on the road to recovery from a threatened nervous breakdown.

CAN GET OTWELL'S FARMER.

By Sending in Your Name to P. O. Landon He Will Send That Paper One Year.

During Saturday of the Chautauqua week Farmer Will Otwell of Carlinville, Ill., was the afternoon speaker, and he delivered a talk along farm lines. Besides being a Chautauqua lecturer, he is also publisher of the paper, Otwell's Farmer Boy, an agricultural paper, and while here he offered free 400 subscriptions to this paper to the Chautauqua management. Over 150 boys and farmers signed up for the paper on that day, and now Manager Landon has about 200 more to dispose of. If any of the boys on the farm or farmers would like to have a copy of this agricultural paper free, all you will have to do is to send in your name to Mr. Landon and he will see that you get it.

ARM BROKEN IN THRESHER.

Robert Ashworth of Maitland Has Right Arm Broken at Yahrmark Farm.

While attending the separator on one of Ralph Pope's threshing machines at the farm of Clarence Yahrmark, twelve miles southwest of Maryville, Tuesday, Robert Ashworth of Maitland had his right arm broken.

The machine was stopped to readjust something about the machinery that had become loose. The wheel stopped on center and rebounded in time to catch Ashworth's arm as he started to make the adjustment. He was taken to Dr. Rowlett at Graham, who set the member.

On Trip to Wisconsin.

Miss Katherine Helwig and Miss Elizabeth Evans left Wednesday on a three weeks' trip to Chicago and the lakes in Wisconsin.

Mrs. Frank Gwinn of Denver, Mo., was shopping in the city Wednesday.

FUNERAL HELD TUESDAY.

George W. Wood, Living Near Skidmore, Died Suddenly Sunday Morning.

George W. Wood died about 2 o'clock Sunday morning at his home, five miles northeast of Skidmore. The cause of his death was heart failure.

The funeral services were held Tuesday at the M. E. church in Skidmore, conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Welton. Burial took place in the Masonic cemetery there.

Mr. Wood had been subject to heart attacks for several years. On Saturday, the day before his death, he worked all day building a fence and attending to chores, ate a hearty supper and retired to his bed, feeling in the best of health and spirits. He awoke about midnight and smoked his pipe, as he was in the custom of doing when he couldn't sleep. His family didn't think anything of it, and at 2 o'clock that morning discovered him lying on the side of his bed dead.

Mr. Wood was born in Washington county, Ohio, July 4, 1838. He was married to Emily Williams in September, 1860, and came to Nodaway county about thirty years ago, residing here ever since. Seven children were born to them, all of them living. They are Charles Wood of near Graham, Albert Wood of Diller, Neb.; Joseph, John and Chester Wood of Oklahoma, Willard Wood of Skidmore, and Miss Mary Wood of Grant's Pass, Ore., who is there on a visit for her health.

CALLED MEETING FOR SATURDAY

Those Who Donated to Lee Road Will Meet Then and Discuss Plans for the Highway.

A meeting has been called by A. F. Croy and J. L. Partridge for Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the court house of those who donated to the Lee road improvement fund for the purpose of discussing plans for making some improvements, and also to select a member of the board to fill the vacancy caused by the removal of L. T. Lee from the county.

A check for $1,000 was received from the state last week to be spent on this road. From donations of those interested in the road and from the people in Maryville, $1,000 was raised two years ago, and this money has been spent on the road. With the additional $1,000 from the state the Lee road, east of this city, will be made one of the best roads in the county.

The plan is to cut off about five feet more from Lee hill and the road across the bottom, a distance of one and a half miles, will be graded and graveled.

MANY JAPANESE PERFORMERS.

Greatest Japanese Troupe in the World Here With the Robinson Circus.

Beyond all question the greatest troupe of Japanese in the world are with the Yankee Robinson circus. This Japanese troupe were imported to this country last season for the New York Hippodrome, where they appeared for thirty weeks. They were then engaged for the Yankee Robinson circus and made the greatest hit ever recorded under a circus tent. This Japanese troupe immediately went back to Japan, left the port of Yokohama on March 27, landing at Seattle April 12, going direct to circus winter quarters. They are in this country by permission of his royal majesty, the emperor of Japan.

DEATH OF MORRIS BROWN.

Youngest Son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Mark Brown, Well Known in Skidmore, Died at Lawrence, Kan.

Morris Brown, the 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Mark Brown, formerly of Skidmore and well known in that community, but now of Lawrence, Kan., died in a hospital at Lawrence on Friday night, after an operation for appendicitis. The funeral services were held at Lawrence on Sunday. Two other children of Mr. and Mrs. Brown are also dangerously sick, a son, Homer, being sick with appendicitis, and a daughter, Miss Lola Brown, sick with typhoid fever.

Accepts Position at Waterloo, Ia.

Ralph C. Jamison has accepted a position in the general offices of the Chicago Great Western railroad at Waterloo, Ia., and will go to his work tomorrow. Mr. Jamison is an excellent young man and a graduate of the Maryville Business college, class of June 27, 1912.

Returned From Oklahoma.

Dr. J. W. Dean returned Wednesday noon from a two weeks' business trip to Shawnee and other points in Oklahoma. He reports a wonderful peach crop in that country.

WHAT A GIRL CAN DO

RAISED SIXTY-ONE BUSHELS OF CORN ON AN ACRE OF GROUND.

A NODAWAY COUNTY GIRL

Miss Edna C. Tucker of Near Ravenwood Sets a Pace for the Boys, and Tells How She Did It.

In the annual report of the state board of agriculture of Missouri, which was issued this week, appears a write-up of Edna C. Tucker of near Ravenwood, who grew last year 61 bushels of corn to an acre. Miss Tucker is also enrolled in the boys' corn growing contest to be held in Maryville in November in connection with the Teachers' association.

The following is the article in regard to Miss Tucker:

Everybody, it would seem, must know that there are boy corn growers in Missouri. Several thousand boys are members of Missouri boys' corn growing clubs, and some of these fine young fellows are always getting into print—for the average editor does love a story of success.

In Missouri there are also girls who are successful corn growers. One of these girls is Edna C. Tucker, daughter of W. B. Tucker, a farmer living near Ravenwood, up in the "big corn country" of Northwest Missouri. Just here it might be said that Miss Tucker's home county and another adjoining it produced last year as much corn as did a dozen states combined. Last year was a poor corn year in Missouri. It was a year that tried the most experienced men and most ambitious boys in the corn work. What shall we say of a school girl who, unaided, grew on one acre of ground 61 bushels and 2 pounds of dry, husked corn? Pretty good, isn't it? There were lots of other school boys and girls growing corn in this county—Nodaway—under the direction of W. M. Oakerson, a real county superintendent, who brings things—especially things agriculturally—to pass.

Miss Tucker tells of her corn growing experience as follows:

"My acre of ground is upland and on a badly worn farm. I selected the best acre on the farm, and purchased Reid's Yellow Dent for my seed corn. I double disked this plot on April 2. On May 4 I listed it, and on May 11 I relisted it; then planted it with a two-horse corn planter, running the planter in the lister marks. The corn was drilled about nine inches apart in the row, the rows being three feet and four inches apart. I then hitched a horse to a small log and dragged it over the rows to pulverize the clods.

"After the corn was three or four inches high I hauled one load of barnyard manure and on the poorest spots put a small shovelful in each hill. I harrowed it the next day after planting, and again on May 27. On May 30 a heavy rain damaged it badly by washing. I pulled the dirt up to the corn that was still in the row and replanted the plot on June 2 and 3. I cultivated it five times with a two-horse walking cultivator. During the latter part of our fifty-days' drouth I kept going through my corn with a one-horse pulverizer, or float, to bring the moisture to the top of the ground. I had a dust mulch about four or five inches deep. My corn was tasseling July 1, was in roasting ear July 29, was dented by August 6, and was harvested November 9. It weighed 4,229 pounds of dry husked corn.

"I chose this work because I like outdoor labor, and fell so in love with it that I intend to plant a larger acreage in 1912. I learned many things about farming, and gained in stature and strength. County Superintendent W. M. Oakerson was so kind to help and encourage me that while my yield was not so large as I should have liked, I suppose it did well, considering the soil, the dry, hot summer, and my first attempt at corn growing."

Wichita Guest Returns.

Mrs. Percy Rittennour Post of Wichita, Kan., who has been the guest of her uncle, Milton M. Rittennour, and family the past ten days, returned home Tuesday evening.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Thursday; moderate temperature.

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On Visit in Arkansas.

Misses Mildred and Lois Cummings left Tuesday evening for Mammoth Springs, Ark., to visit their sister, Mrs. N. B. Newlon.

Mrs. John Mahoney of St. Joseph, who has been visiting her little daughter, Pauline, at the home of her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mahoney of this city, the past month, and with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jesse Ray of near Ravenwood, returned home Tuesday evening. Mrs. Mahoney's daughter will begin her second year at St. Patrick's parish school in September.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Owens of St. Joseph, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Owens and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Irwin, left for their home Wednesday morning.

J. C. Fremont Lyle and daughter, Miss Edith, of near Parnell, were shopping in the city Tuesday.

This is Townsend's Price List for THURSDAY

PICK OUT THE BARGAINS THAT LOOK BEST TO YOU.

2 pkgs Shredded Wheat Biscuit	25c
2 pkgs Cream of Wheat	25c
10c Corn Flakes (limit of 2 pkgs)	5c
Puffed Rice	12c
Puffed Wheat	8c
Picnic Hams (Thursday only), lb	12c
10c box Corn Starch (one only)	3c
10c Trilby Soap (one only)	6c
10c Ivory Soap (one only)	6c
5c Ivory Soap (one only)	4c
12 cans best Iowa Corn	75c
5-lb 80c can Kansas City Baking Powder for	49c
1-lb can Dr. Price's (50c) Baking Powder for	37c
1-lb can Bon Bon One Spoon Baking Powder for	10c
25c sack Fresh Meal for	19c
35c sack new Graham Flour for	27c
Best Irish Potatoes, bushel	75c
3-lb can George Washington Coffee, $1.60 goods	88c
Fine Peaches, peck	50c
10 lbs Sal Soda for	15c
20 lbs Rock Salt, ground	15c
Finest Cheese, lb	20c
8-lb basket Fine Grapes	22c
Fancy quality Red Salmon, pound can for	20c
10 bars Pearl White Laundry Soap for	29c
Fresh California Prunes, doz	20c
Basket ripe Bartlett Pears	25c
Fresh Tomatoes, 4-lb basket	10c

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* KINDLY GIVE YOUR ORDERS *
* EARLY. *
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100-lb sacks Cane Granulated Sugar for	$5.40
48-lb sack Gold Coin Flour	$1.20
48-lb sack Fancy Cream Flour	$1.15
19 lbs Granulated Sugar	$1.00
Bedford Creamery Butter, Thursday, per lb	27c

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THE ONLY LARGE EXCLUSIVE CASH STORE IN NORTHWEST MISSOURI.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Picnic at Bridgewater.

E. T. Funk and family, John Awalt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stapler, and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Diss of Lincoln, Neb., spent Wednesday picnicking at Bridgewater.

Aid Society Meeting.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church, South, will meet at the church Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in a regular business session. This will be the last meeting of the conference year and election of officers will take place. A full attendance of the membership is desired.

For Kansas City Guests.

Mrs. J. F. Colby is giving a small kensington and luncheon three afternoons this week, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, in honor of her guests, Mrs. Paul Ream, her sister, and Mrs. J. Woodson Smith, both of Kansas City. The guests are the old friends of her guests, during their residence here a few years ago.

Chautauqua Campers Leave.

Miss Helen Dunn returned to her home in Bolckow Tuesday evening. She had been in Maryville since the opening of the Chautauqua and was in camp with the Bridgets club, of which she is a member. Miss Helen Ardery and Miss Esther Kane of St. Joseph, who were the guests of Miss Allie Fraser at the Bridgets' camp, returned home Wednesday morning.

Miss May Pierce a Bride-Elect.

Maryville friends have just received invitations to the marriage of Miss Ortah May Pierce, daughter of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Pierce of Tarkio, to Mr. William Scanman of Tarkio. The wedding will take place in the First M. E. church of Tarkio at 9:30 o'clock on the morning of September 4. Miss Pierce resided in Maryville when her father was presiding elder of the Maryville district M. E. conference a few years ago. She has been principal of the high school at Murray, Ia., the past two years.

Dinner Hostess at Eighty-Three.

Mrs. Amanda Young entertained a dinner company Sunday at her home, 1007 East First street, in honor of her niece, Mrs. Minerva Gordon Duncan of Winnipeg, Canada, who has been spending the past week with her, and with the family of her brother-in-law, Reuben Young, living northeast of Maryville. Mrs. Young will be 83 years old this month, and she enjoyed the day as much as anyone. Her guests, who brought the greater part of the dinner with them ready for the table, were Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Young, and their married daughters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Appleby, and children; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dowden and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mercer.

Miscellaneous Bridal Shower.

Miss Alice Martin entertained forty guests Tuesday afternoon with a domino party and a miscellaneous shower for Miss Emma Lee Taylor, a bride-elect. The guests were served punch on their arrival by Mrs. Victor Moore, who was assisted by Mrs. Fayette Bellows, Miss Elise Jackson and Miss Emma Lee Taylor. The prize at dominoes, a hand-made handkerchief, was won by Miss Ella Walton Frank. The decorations in the dining room, where refreshments were served, after the games, were in the bridal colors, pink and white. Cosmos and asters were the flowers used. The favors were hand-painted cupids on hearts. After the games the hostess brought in a large clothes hamper, filled with packages of all shapes and sizes, containing the gifts of the guests to the honor guest. Miss Taylor opened her gifts and read the labels on each for the pleasure of the company. She received a beautiful array of gifts.

Returned to Iowa.

Mr. Lloyd Humberstone of Davenport, Ia., who was the Chautauqua guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Matt O'Brien, left for his home Tuesday evening. Mrs. O'Brien gave a breakfast party in his honor at 8 o'clock Sunday morning, when plates were laid for the following guests: Mr. Humberstone, Miss Ethel Muse of Parnell, Miss Ruby Trotter of Jameson, Mr. Paul Jans of Keokuk, Ia.; Miss Lela Caudle, Miss Mary McCall, Messrs. Herschel Colbert, Alvin Clark and Lester Bennett.

Obituary.

Miller LaFollett Coulter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Coulter, living two miles northeast of Arkoe, was born August 12, 1912. Died August 18, 1912. Age 6 days.

He appeared to have perfect health and was very promising until Friday evening, August 16, when suddenly he became sick of the tonsilitis. He suffered very severely until Sunday evening about 7:45 o'clock, when the merciful Lord said, "It is enough; come up higher."

May he rest in the arms of Jesus, awaiting the arrival of his dear ones coming later on.

The funeral services were conducted by the writer at Mr. Harry Coulter's after which the body of the deceased was laid to rest in the Swinford cemetery.

W. E. ROYSTON,
Pastor M. E. Church.

Mr. Kaufman Improving.

Fin Kaufman of Graham, who is prostrated by the accident that occurred at the Murphy farm, northwest of Maryville, last Friday, when his threshing machine engine exploded and injured two men seriously, is still confined to his home, but is improving.

Mrs. L. J. Lomax and daughters of Wilsonville, Neb., who have been visiting her brother, W. L. Schoonover, and family, went to Grant City Wednesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Wm. Lynch.

Prof. and Mrs. W. R. Lowry and son of Hopkins were in Maryville Tuesday evening on their way to Elmo to visit Mrs. Lowry's mother and to attend the picnic.

ROCKY FORD CANTELOUPES
First at Brink's. Arriving daily. Watch our window for good, clean things to eat. BRINK & CO.

Mrs. W. B. Key returned to her home in Barnard Tuesday evening from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Deming.

The Trials of a Traveler.

"I am a traveling salesman," writes E. E. Youngs, E. Berkshire, Vt., "and was often troubled with constipation and indigestion till I began to use Dr. King's New Life Pills, which I have found an excellent remedy." For all stomach, liver or kidney troubles they are unequaled. Only 25 cents at the Orear-Henry Drug company.

Misses May and Etta Evans of Bedison, who were called to Maryville by the death of their grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Evans, returned home Wednesday.

Protection from loss by windstorms, fire or lightning is business, either in country or city. You owe it to yourself and family. Consult me now for special rates and terms, or phone me and I will call.

CHARLES HYSLOP,
General Agent.

Miss Laura Barmann went to Albany Wednesday to spend a few days with Miss Grace O'Malley.

Mrs. G. Matter went to Rea, Mo., Wednesday to visit Mrs. Elmer Froyd.

H. T. Crane was a Kansas City visitor Wednesday.

LOUIS D. BRANDEIS, BOSTON:

"Governor Wilson's speech of acceptance is the utterance of a twentieth century statesman; with keen perception he recognizes the evils from which the people are suffering and the dangers which threaten our welfare; with broad vision he points the way by which these evils may be removed and the dangers averted; he proves his understanding alike of business and of social needs and that he is a Democrat, in fact, as well as in name, and his courage is undoubted. Progressive Americans have in him a worthy leader."

D. R. EVERSOLE & SON

Ladies' Knit Underwear Reduced for the Balance of the Week

50c sleeveless vests for	35c
30c sleeveless vests for	19c
25c sleeveless vests for	15c
20c sleeveless vests for	13c
15c sleeveless vests for	10c

Embroidery Flouncings Entire Stock Reduced ONE FOURTH.

Ladies' Kimonas

Made from figured lawns, trimmed with embroidery and ribbon, $3.00 values for $1.98

The $2.00 grades for $1.45

Kimonas made from serpentine crepes, worth $2.50 for $2.05

Ladies' Dresses

We have just nine dresses made from batistes and Flaxons, dresses that are worth $4.00, $6.50 and $6.85.

We offer the $4.00 dresses at $1.98
We offer the $6.50 dresses at 2.98
We offer the $6.85 dresses at 3.00

We have two white pique dresses left, size 16 and 36, worth $8.50, we will sell at $3.50.

$35.00 white lingerie dresses for ... $13.00
25.00 white lingerie dresses for. ... 10.00
20.00 white lingerie dresses for 8.00
17.50 white lingerie dresses for 7.50
15.00 white lingerie dresses for 6.98
9.00 white lingerie dresses for 3.98
4.00 white lingerie dresses for 1.98

All misses' and children's dresses, white or colored at HALF PRICE.

Wash Goods

We have just nine pieces of striped cotton voile left, worth 18c, 35c and 50c a yard.

50c values now 25c
35c values now 15c
18c values now 10c

Pieces of Woven Flaxon, worth 15c a yard, for 12½c

32 inch French Ginghams, worth 25c, are now selling for 10c

Silk and cotton novelties, worth 50c are now 22c

Figured cotton batistes, worth 15c a yard for 5c

This includes some plain colors.

Muslin Underwear

One fourth to one third off on all ladies muslin underwear for one week only. Some garments are soiled while others are not, eveything is included nothing reserved. You will find it to your interest to investigate.

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Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—14,000. Market strong. Estimate tomorrow, 9,000.

Hogs—28,000. Market steady to weak; top, $8.65. Estimate tomorrow, 19,000.

Sheep—25,000. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—10,000. Market strong.

Hogs—4,500. Market steady to weak; top, $8.67.

Sheep—6,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,600. Market strong.

Hogs—5,000. Market steady to weak; top, $8.65.

Sheep—2,500. Market steady.

Indian Killed On Track.

Near Cochelle, Ill., an Indian went to sleep on a railroad track and was killed by the fast express. He paid for his carelessness with his life. Often it's that way when people neglect coughs and colds. Don't risk your life when prompt use of Dr. King's New Discovery will cure them and so prevent a dangerous throat or lung trouble. "It completely cured me in a short time of a terrible cough that followed a severe attack of grip," writes J. R. Watts, Floydada, Texas, "and I regained fifteen pounds in weight that I had lost." Quick, safe, reliable and guaranteed. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free at the Orear-Henry Drug company.

Little Miss Gladys McKee returned to her home in Kansas City Tuesday evening, after a visit with her grandmother, Mrs. Ellen Eslinger, who lives with her father, J. C. Broyles, seven miles west of Maryville.

Mrs. R. R. Pearce of Lenox, Ia., was in Maryville Tuesday evening on her way to Blanchard, Iowa, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hanna.

Mrs. Jacob McCoppin returned to her home in Bolckow Tuesday evening from a visit with Mrs. W. H. Brown.

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ASTHMA REMEDY
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PICKERING.

Lon Fine and wife left Wednesday for a pleasure trip to Nebraska and various points of interest in Colorado.

C. B. Leach and wife returned Monday night from a three weeks' visit to Western Kansas and Colorado. They visited John Groves' family and others from Missouri who reside at Salida, Col.

Mrs. Emily Craig returned to her home in Pickering Monday, after a year's absence with her daughters at Loveland, Col.

Elder Roy Youts of Canton, Mo., is conducting revival services at the Christian church, assisted by the pastor, Re. Lindenmyer.

Mr. Lindenmyer, whose home is in Northwest Iowa, is here visiting his son, the pastor of the Christian church.

The school board is having the fourth room of the school building finished and furnished for adding another teacher to the faculty of our school.

George Crowson, late graduate of the Pickering school, will attend the Maryville high school this coming year.

George Swaney shipped a load of hogs to St. Joseph Tuesday.

Mrs. Harry Porterfield and children started to Vinita, Okla., Monday morning to visit parents and other relatives who reside near Vinita.

Earl Heller, who is in the employ of the Blue Valley Creamery company of Chicago, spent last Sunday visiting his uncle, C. G. McMillen.

Adelbert McMillen is home from Columbus to spend a couple of weeks' vacation with home folks. He will finish at the university the coming year.

PICTURE FRAMING at **Crane's**

Mrs. Otis Wallace of Fairbury, Neb., who has been visiting friends in the city, left for her home Tuesday evening.

Fern Theatre

We Show Three New Reels of Pictures every night.

"Billie"
Drama.
By James Oppenheim.

"The Turning Point"
Drama.

"Scenes in Cuba"
Senic.

"The Sheriff's Daughter"
A western play full of the life of the plains.

EASTMAN KODAKS and SUPPLIES at **Crane's**

Mrs. William Hartman and children of Barnard, who have been visiting in Illinois, were in Maryville Tuesday on their way home.

Montgomery & Lyle CLOTHING CO.

Specials for Friday and Saturday

Now is the time to throw away the straw hat and get a fur hat. Our prices are:

$3.00 Hat for	$2.50
$2.50 Hat for	$2.00
$2.00 Hat for	$1.50
$1.50 Hat for	$1.15
All Boys' Romper Suits	38c
All Boys' 50c Union Suits	33c
All Boys' 25c Union Suits	19c
Boys' $1.50 Knee Pants	$1.15
Boys' $1.00 Knee Pants	78c
Boys' 75c Knee Pants	55c

Suit Cases and Grips 12½ per cent off.

We have a full line of samples for suits and overcoats to measure, at $15.00 up.

Fit guaranteed or no sale. Come and try us. We have the goods and the right styles and best quality. Save you money by buying of Montgomery & Lyle Clothing Company, first door north of Nodaway Valley Bank.

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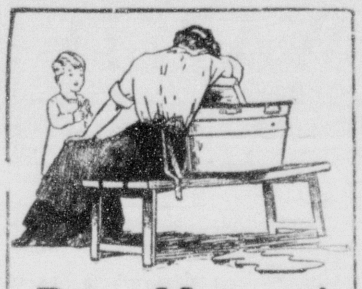

Poor Mamma!

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Put a stop to it now! On payments of only

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A PERTINENT QUESTION.

How do you like to be the repair man? Not a very pleasant subject No doubt the job would ruffle your feelings as well as your clothes.

SAVE A LOT OF TROUBLE.

Bring your car to us for inspection and repairs. This will win in the long run. Have you ever tried our repair service? You will find quick action and low prices.

J. L. Fisher

Every inch one pushes beyond the normal distance of 12 inches after eye-failure begins at 38, means an inch of danger. Ninety-nine persons out of a hundred may do it with safety. You may be the one that can't. The man having the best eyes when old age comes will be the one that heeds this first call for help.

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KILLED SOLDIERS AFTER SURRENDER

Federal Guards in Nicaragua Massacred by Rebels.

TELEGRAPH WIRES DESTROYED

Following Insurgent Victory Entire Garrison Was Murdered Instead of Being Held as Prisoners of War.

Managua, Nicaragua, Aug. 21.—Surrender did not satisfy a force of insurgents who stormed and took the city of Leon, to the North of Managua. Blood alone sufficed and the federal guards fell in massacre. According to the reports received in the capital 430 of the 500 soldiers died in the slaughter that followed the insurgent victory.

When news was received by the government that the liberals at Leon had risen in revolt, General Chamorro dispatched troops to suppress the movement and reinforce the garrison of the city.

Garrison Surrendered.

The government troops, on reaching Leon, camped on the plaza in the center of the town. The insurgents, who greatly outnumbered the government force, attacked the city, and after a fierce engagement the garrison surrendered. Instead of holding their captives prisoners of war after the submission, it is reported that the troops were slaughtered. Following the repulse of the insurgents after a four days' battle at Managua, in which the American marines and bluejackets from the gunboat Annapolis and from Panama played a prominent part as defenders of the capital, the insurgents retired, ostensibly to their headquarters at Masaya, the capital of the department of the same name lying to the south of Managua.

Liberal Generals in Command.

It was learned by the government however, that the insurgents had sent large quantities of arms and ammunition from Masaya to Leon through the mountain passes and that the rebels were hurriedly concentrating their forces at the northern town. It also became known that Gen. Mena, the deposed secretary of war and leader of the insurrection, whose health has been greatly impaired, had gone to Leon to direct the operations of his men.

Lieut. Edward H. Conger of the American marine battalion now stationed in Managua returned to the capital from Masaya, where he went to confer with Gen. Mena. Lieut. Conger reports that Gen. Mena is severely ill and that the liberal generals, Rebit and Amend, are in command of the insurgents in the South.

Communication between Managua and the outside world by way of Corinto, on the Pacific side of the Nicaragut, either by wire or by railroad, has been cut since Friday. The severance of communication was caused by the uprising on that day at Leon.

PRIMARY FIGURES INACCURATE

Carelessness of Kansas County Clerks Causes Mixup in Official Returns on U. S. Senator.

Topeka, Aug. 21.—The carelessness of two or three Kansas county clerks has caused a bad mixup in the official primary returns for United States senator, in the counties where there are more than one legislative district.

The figures of the total vote in the county and the total vote by legislative districts do not tally. The county clerk figured up Bourbon county's total vote for Republican and Democratic candidates for United States senator, but when he got into the legislative districts he did not have enough votes for some of the candidates, and too many for others to fit the totals for the county. The same thing happened in other counties.

EXCURSIONISTS WILL BENEFIT

Break in Railroad Passenger Rate Agreement May Result in General Reduction.

St. Louis, Aug. 21.—Following the abrogation of the agreement by which all the trunk lines in the United States voted against running summer excursions for less than a two-cent a mile fare in 1912, a passenger rate war threatens.

This city started action when one road made a round trip rate of $6 to Toledo. This was followed by similar action of the Wabash on the ground that the Clover Leaf, having set the example, the Wabash was placed in the attitude of self-protection. Other Middle West lines, it is said, are preparing to follow the example of the Wabash and Clover Leaf. This, it is claimed, probably will reduce excursion rates.

Senator's Brother Arrested.

Sioux City, Ia., Aug. 21.—F. A. Kenyon, brother of Senator Kenyon, accused of forgery in connection with operations of a land and gravel company, surrendered himself to authorities here and was released on bond. He refused to discuss the charges against him.

GEN. JOHN PERSHING

General Pershing accompanies Secretary of State Knox to Japan as his military aid on the mission to attend the funeral of the late emperor.

ANDRAE ASKS INVESTIGATION

REFORMER'S STATEMENT DENIED BY PRISON WARDEN.

Courts Inquiry Regarding Alleged Torture of Prisoners—Will Pay Expense Himself.

Jefferson City, Aug. 21.—Col. Henry Andrae, warden of the penitentiary here, says that if charges of cruelty to convicts, preferred against the prison management here by Dr. Frank H. Loveland of Topeka, Kan., are true he will resign at once. He says also he will pay the expenses of an investigation and after affording every opportunity asked for to make a full investigation he will abide by the result thereof and resign at once if Dr. Loveland's charges are sustained.

Dr. Loveland was here to deliver a Chautauqua lecture. He visited the penitentiary and was shown through the institution by Warden Andrae Dr. Loveland is quoted as saying that he saw "20 men strung up by their wrists, their toes barely touching the floor, and the blood streaming down their arms."

Warden Andrae says the statement attributed to Dr. Loveland is absolutely false.

Warden Andrae is very indignant over the statements credited to Dr. Loveland, whom he is inclined to consider a sensation monger.

Deputy Warden Porter Gilvin confirmed every statement made by the warden. He said Dr. Loveland, who had requested to be shown through the prison, was accorded every courtesy and nothing that he wished to investigate was withheld from him.

None of the state officials here credit Dr. Loveland's charge, and the same is true of the citizens of the town who know the prison well.

Warden Andrae has instituted more reforms in the prison than any other warden. He abolished flogging and dosing obstreperous convicts with water to the point of strangulation and death, and it was on his suggestion that striped uniforms were abolished.

WOMAN'S TEARS MOVED SENATE

Passed Bill Appropriating Money to Pay Husband's Claim, After Veto by President.

Washington, Aug. 21.—A woman's tears melted the hearts of the United States senators. Mrs. Katherine McDonald, a plucky Wyoming woman, came here to urge her sick husband's claim for $11,000 damages because of the failure of the contractor who built the Shoshone dam in that state.

McDonald was a storekeeper and accepted many of the vouchers issued by the contractor. Inability to collect made it necessary to sacrifice his business and mortgage his home.

Seated in the gallery of the house of representatives she wept when the bill she had caused to be introduced failed to pass over President Taft's veto. Despairing she left Washington for Wyoming to rejoin her husband and three children.

The senate later, notwithstanding the veto, passed a new bill appropriating $42,000 to pay McDonald's claims for supplies and labor.

PLATFORM BROKE WITH CROWD

At Notification Ceremonies of Gov. Marshall of Indiana Many Were Injured.

Indianapolis, Aug. 21.—A platform behind the speakers' stand collapsed at the Marshall notification ceremonies while Alton B. Parker of New York was delivering his speech to Gov. T. R. Marshall, Democratic nominee for vice-president.

More than a dozen persons were injured, some of them seriously.

More than 200 men, women and children were precipitated a distance of 20 feet to the ground and buried in the wreckage.

Motion Pictures as Targets.

Paris, Aug. 21.—Motion picture targets are now being tested by the French government to teach the soldiers to shoot at human forms in action and are said to be a success.

KANSAS CONTEST TAKES NEW TURN

Restraining Order Prevents Board From Certifying T. R. Electors.

CERTIFICATES ALREADY ISSUED

Judge McPherson's Order Puts Case Before Judge Sanford in Denver —Outcome Depends on Harvey County Decision.

Topeka, Aug. 21.—An order issued by Judge McPherson, restraining the Kansas state canvassing board from certifying to the secretary of state the names of the eight Roosevelt electoral candidates nominated at the recent primary as the Republican electoral candidates, was filed in the United States district court here late at night.

The matter will be heard at Denver, September 2, before Judge Sanborn of the United States circuit court.

Judge McPherson granted the temporary restraining order at Red Oak Ia., in the absence of Judge John C Pollock of the Kansas district, who is away on his vacation. The papers were filed by D. R. Hite of Kansas City.

Papers Are Served.

The action was brought in the names of D. W. Bemuth and others who signed the petitions of the Roosevelt electors. They charged that they signed the petitions under a misapprehension, believing the electors would vote for the convention nominee, and alleged that many Republican voters would practically be disfranchised by the electors voting for any other than the Republican convention nominee. Papers were served on Gov. Stubbs, State Auditor Davis Secretary of State Sessions and Treasurer Tulley.

The state canvassing board issued certificates of nomination after canvassing the vote, but the restraining order was issued in time to prevent the secretary of state from sending the names to the county clerks to go on the official ballots.

Appeal is Pending.

The same plaintiffs and several others, who brought the suit in Harvey county before the primary to enjoin the county clerks from printing on the primary ballots the names of these eight Roosevelt electoral candidates are plaintiffs in this proceeding. The case brought in Harvey county is now in the United States supreme court. That tribunal will decide probably in October whether the Roosevelt electors have a right to run in the Republican column in Kansas.

This proceeding in the United States district court by which the state canvassing board is restrained from certifying the names of the Roosevelt electoral candidates as the Republican electoral candidates centers the final determination of the whole controversy upon the decision of the United States supreme court in the Harvey county case.

HIGH WINDS DID MUCH DAMAGE

Many Places in Kansas Report Small Buildings Wrecked and Wires Down.

Topeka, Aug. 21.—High winds accompanying the rains, which were general over central and northeastern Kansas, damaged windows, trees, small buildings and telegraph and telephone wires at many points. At Salina many residents sought cyclone cellars. One and a quarter inches of rain fell in 20 minutes there. The wind reached a velocity of 60 miles an hour at Downs and blew down nearly all telephone wires. An inch of rain, the heaviest of the season at Clay Center, resulted in the washing out of a small Union Pacific bridge and a delay in traffic.

Previous to the rain the mercury reached 102½ degrees at Independence, the highest this year.

MOB HANGED ARKANSAS BLACK

Officers Overpowered and Jail Door Battered—Alleged Accomplice Helped Lynchers.

Russellville, Ark., Aug. 21.—Monroe Franklin, a negro, charged with attacking Mrs. Cora Tolbert, was dragged from the Pope county jail here by a mob of 200 men and hanged. The sheriff and constable on guard in the outer office were overpowered and the jail door battered in. The lynching was quiet and not a shot was fired. Another negro, Peter Gray, implicated by the confession of Franklin and also in jail, assisted the mob in putting the noose about Franklin's neck.

First Ballot for Many.

New York, Aug. 21.—The national committees of both parties will devote special attention to the voters who will cast their ballot for the first time this year for a president. It is estimated that 5,000,000 new voters will appear. There will be 3,650,000 men enfranchised by age, and 1,350,000 women and newly naturalized citizens. For the first time, in several states, women will vote for president.

When You Think of Nice Things to Wear

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The Northwest Normal School

"Our School"

Will open September 11th. The summer term has been very successful and the year's enrollment has reached 710, representing eight states and twenty-three counties. The equipment, faculty, courses of study, buildings, and grounds offer unexcelled advantages. The personal attention given to pupils and the high standard of work and conduct among the student body are strong claims for the patronage of this institution. Those preparing to teach, and high school graduates who wish to take up their college work, and rural graduates who cannot conveniently be in high school will find courses of study exactly suited to their needs. Our academic courses give a thorough preparation for entrance to the junior year of the University.

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Maryville, Mo.

Notice to Lee Road Donators.

All persons who donated to the fund for improving the Lee road are requested to meet at the court house Saturday, August 24, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing one new member of the board to fill the vacancy caused by the removal of L. T. Lee from the county.

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To Attend Meetings.

County Superintendent Oakerson will leave Thursday morning for Grant City, Savannah and Albany, where he will attend county teachers' meetings.

Mrs. J. A. Wiggins of Texarkana, Texas, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Ira Williams, and family, left for her home Wednesday morning.

Mrs. E. Carp went to St. Joseph Tuesday evening to visit friends and relatives.

Normal Supplies, special prices at **Crane's**

Two Farms at Auction!

Near Maryville, Mo.

Wednesday, September 4, 1912

at 2 p. m., I will sell these farms to the highest bidder.

LOCATION

2½ miles from Maryville, Mo., being ½ mile north and 2 miles east on the main traveled road, is one of these farms containing 250 acres.

IMPROVEMENTS ON THIS FARM

Consist of a good 7-room house all finished throughout, good brick cellar, good cistern on the porch, good well at house, wood house, splendid new chicken house, large double granary and corn crib, shingle roof; one corn crib 8x100 feet shingle roof, cement feeding floor 16x100 feet under a good roof, hog house with cement floor and shingle roof size about 12x50 feet, large barn, splendid well with new windmill, one cement watering tank about 10 feet square, one steel tank about 8 feet square, one large round wooden tank all connected up to fill from the windmill, one set of wooden stock scales and other buildings such as work shop, cow barn, etc.

THIS FARM

Is all fenced practically hog tight with woven wire, and cross fence. All wet land on the farm is tiled in first class shape, 200 acres lays smooth and level, 50 acres rolling. The rolling land is in blue grass pasture fenced hog tight, 125 acres in cultivation, 40 acres in timothy and clover meadow. Balance in pasture.

THIS 250 ACRE FARM

Has gravel pit on it that the income from it amounts to from $1,000 to $1,500 a year net, which will pay the interest and taxes on this farm figuring it at $100 per acre. The gravel from this farm will make a man a fortune itself in a few years.

THE OTHER FARM HAS 313 ACRES IN IT

And lays ½ mile north of the 250-acre farm on the main traveled road. It has a six-roomed house in fair condition, small stable. This farm is fenced practically hog tight with woven wire, and cross fenced. 50 acres in cultivation, balance in meadow and pasture. About 80 acres of this farm lays rolling, balance lays smooth and level.

THESE FARMS

Are right in the corn belt and no better corn land in Iowa or Missouri than these farms are.

MARYVILLE

Is the county seat of Nodaway county, a town of about 7,000 with splendid churches and schools, having the State Normal there. Four good banks, splendid stores of all kinds. It has about 12 miles of paving, 2 good railroads and are putting up a Government Building now that will cost about $150,000. Maryville is the best town in Northwest Missouri. Nodaway county is the leading county in the state for corn, hogs and cattle.

TERMS

$1,000 cash or certified check day of sale. $1,000 March 1st, 1913. Balance $1,000 a year at 6 per cent interest. Sale to take place on the farm.

FREE TRANSPORTATION

By automobile will be furnished to all prospective buyers from Maryville Tuesday, September 3d and day of sale to look at these farms. For any information about this sale or the land write

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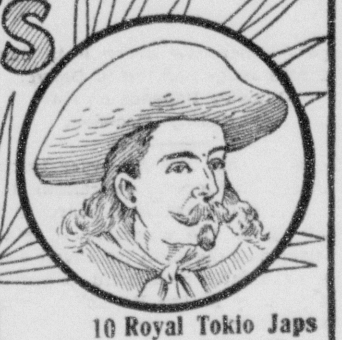

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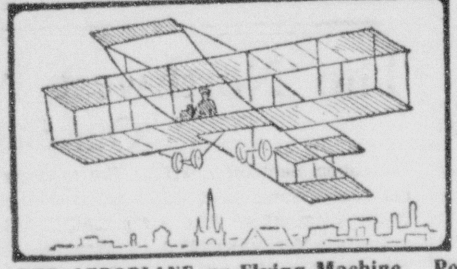

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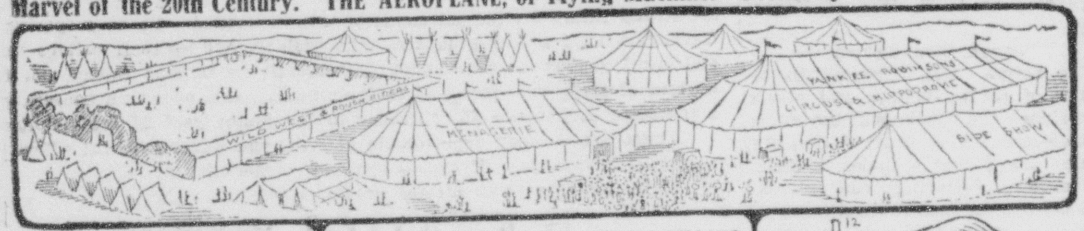

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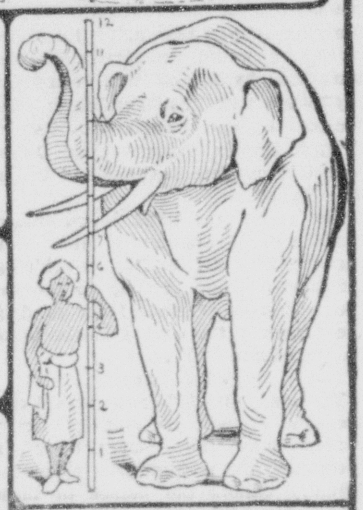

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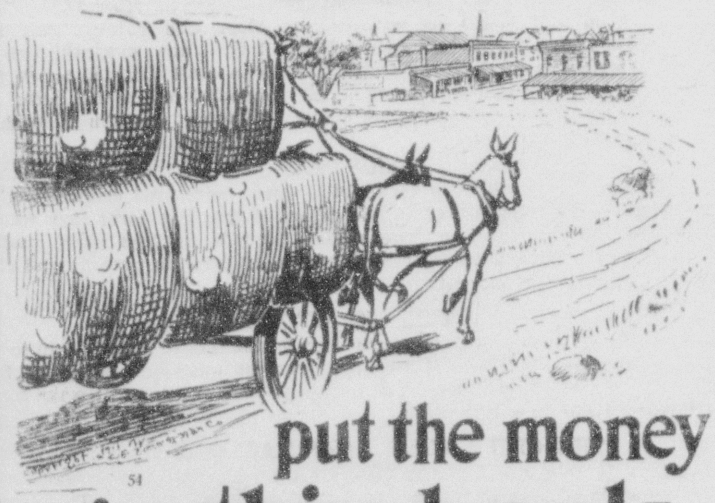

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Do not take your harvest money home with you. There are thousands of thefts of money every year that is kept in this way. Put your harvest money in this bank--withdraw it when you please.

Start an account like all the other farmers who have made successes in this world. Commence today—here.

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CAPITAL - - - - $100,000.00
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On Visit to Sister.

John W. Herren and his sister, Mrs. H. H. Karnes of Fairfield, Ia., who has been visiting in his home, left Tuesday evening for Logan, Kan., to visit their sister, Mrs. M. E. Shurtz.

HEARD IN MARYVILLE.

Bad Backs Made Strong—Kidney Ills Corrected.

All over Maryville you hear it. Doan's Kidney Pills are keeping up the good work, curing weak kidneys, driving away backache, correcting urinary ills. Maryville people are telling about it—telling of bad backs made sound again. You can believe the testimony of your own townspeople. They tell it for the benefit of you who are suffering. If your back aches, if you feel lame, sore and miserable, if the kidneys act too frequently, or passages are painful, scanty and off color, use Doan's Kidney Pills, the remedy that has helped so many of your friends and neighbors. Follow this Maryville citizen's advice and give Doan's a chance to do the same for you.

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See the twenty miles match motorcycle race at the Maitland fair ground next week, Tuesday, August 27, after the fair, between Ralph Bates, the colored boy of Omaha, and Glen Smith of St. Joe. Also fifty miles of professional races.

SALVATION ARMY HEAD IS DEAD

General Booth Passes Away at His Home in London.

APPOINTED HIS OWN SUCCESSOR

Name of Future Commander Placed in Sealed Envelope Years Ago, to be Opened After His Death.

London, Aug. 21.—The Rev. William Booth, general and commander-in-chief of the Salvation army, died at 10:30 p. m. He was born at Nottingham, England, in 1829.

The Salvation army leader was unconscious for 40 hours previous to his death. The medical bulletins had not revealed the seriousness of the general's condition, which for a week, it is now admitted, was hopeless.

Septic Poisoning.

Twelve weeks ago General Booth underwent an operation for the removal of a cataract in his left eye. For two days after the operation indications justified the hope of his recovery. Then septic poisoning set in, and from that time the patient's health steadily declined. The general recognized that the end was near and often spoke of his work as being finished. Throughout his illness, his son, Branwell Booth, chief of staff of the army, and Mrs. Bramwell Booth attended him.

The evangelist died at his residence, near London, where he had been confined to his bed since the operation.

Successor's Name Unkionwn.

Public interest now centers in the question of a successor of the late commander. Under the constitution of the Salvation army, the general nominates his successor. This General Booth did several years ago, placing the name in a sealed envelope, which was deposited with the Salvation army's lawyers with instructions that it should not be opened until after his death. While nobody knows what name the envelope incloses, the general belief among the Salvation army is that it will prove to be that of Bramwell Booth, who for 30 years has been its chief-of-staff.

Where General Booth will be buried has not yet been decided. While every English member of the Salvation army is convinced that no man was more worthy of burial in Westminster Abbey, it is not expected this honor will be awarded General Booth by the Abbey authorities. It is thought the commander-in-chief's last resting place will be by that of his wife, who 21 years ago, was buried in Abney park, Stoke Newington.

MAY NOT ALLOW RATE INCREASE

Shippers' Protest May Result in Permanent Suspension of Proposed Freight Raise.

Washington, Aug. 21.—Trans-Continental railways are facing suspension by the interstate commerce commission of advances in freight rates proposed recently. The new rates to become effective September 2 would increase the transportation charges of many commodities from the Atlantic seaboard to Pacific coast terminals.

Vigorous protests are bing received from Eastern manufacturers and shippers and from Pacific coast jobbers and merchants. It appears likely that many of the proposed increases will be suspended pending a thorough inquiry.

Miss Tarbell Refuses Post.

New York, Aug. 21.—Mrs. J. Bordan Harriman was elected president at an executive committee meeting of the woman's national Wilson and Marshall organization. The place was at first offered to Miss Ida Tarbell, but she said she could be more useful writing about the tariff.

ELEPHANT TERRORIZED CHICAGO

Crazed Through Want of Water Animal Went on War Path—Made Police Climb Tree.

Chicago, Aug. 21.—An elephant, crazed, it is said, by its keeper's neglect to give it water, burst its chains and escaped from a show in Englewood. Hundreds of persons were terrorized by the maddened beast, which, in its flight through streets, smashed fences, uprooted trees and overturned one or two small buildings. Police sent in wagons to capture it were forced by the elephant to climb trees. Showmen finally coaxed it into a corner and shackled it.

Mother Saved Her Baby.

Milwaukee, Aug. 21.—Mother love prompted Mrs. Tillie Hoffmeister, 26 years old, to rush back into a flame filled room and rescue her baby, strapped to a high chair. The heroic act may result in her death. Mrs. Hoffmeister poured gasoline into the stove by mistake.

Lost Balloon is Safe.

Los Angeles, Aug. 21.—The balloon California that went up from Venice carrying five passengers, was sighted at Santa Paula, between Ventura and Santa Barbara. It was feared the balloon had been blown out to sea

Catarrh, Asthma, Colds and Catarrhal Deafness Quickly Go.

Here are some symptoms of catarrh; if you have any of them get rid of them by breathing HYOMEI; it is guaranteed to banish catarrh.

Is your throat raw?
Do you sneeze often?
Is your breath foul?
Are your eyes watery?
Do you take cold easily?
Is your nose stopped up?
Do you have to spit often?
Do crusts form in your nose?
Are you worse in damp weather?
Do you blow your nose a great deal?
Are you losing your sense of smell?
Does your mouth taste bad mornings?
Do you have a dull feeling in your head?
Do you have a discharge from the nose?
Does mucus drop in back of throat?

Complete HYOMEI outfit, which includes inhaler, $1.00, extra bottles, if needed, 50 cents at the Orear-Henry Drug company and druggists everywhere.

To Hold Protracted Meetings.

Protracted meetings will begin at the Mt. Ayr M. E. church on Monday evening, August 26. Everybody is invited to attend all of these services. Rev. W. E. Royston of Barnard is the pastor of the church.

Falling Hair, Dandruff, Scalp Itch Vanishes.

PARISIAN Sage will quickly end all hair and scalp troubles and make your hair so silky, luxuriant and lustrous that all will admire it.

Banishes scalp itch over night. Cleans up dandruff in short order and kills dandruff germs. After the first bottle your hair will be lustrous and so full of life that it will be admired by all.

Be sure and get PARISIAN Sage. Girl with auburn hair on every carton.

It is not a dye, or a hair dope—but a clean, refreshing, invigorating tonic. At the Koch Pharmacy and dealers everywhere. Large bottles 50 cents.

Auto Party Left Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Robinson and sons, with Homer Shipps as chauffeur, left Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock on an extended auto trip to Chicago. They went from here by the way of Creston.

Good Farm for Sale

I offer for sale the John McDowell farm lying 1 mile north of Maryville, consisting of 243 acres, all suitable for cultivation. Has several good wells, a fine spring, good eight room house, large barn and good fencing. Is ¼ of a mile from school house. Must be sold to close up an estate, will make good price and carry good loan on place. Inquire of

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How to See Colorado and the Yellowstone

By all means plan your summer vacation to include Colorado. A week of that glorious air will do you good for a lifetime. And that wonderful sky! Even Italy cannot match it for clear, deep, turquoise beauty. Then the mountains—they tower above you everywhere seeming to raise your spirit with them into the cool and restful cloudland. It's a new experience.

But you must also see the Yellowstone to complete your vacation. And it's easy if you take advantage of the reduced fare rates offered to summer tourists. Your ticket will take you through Colorado, the Regal Rockies and on to Salt Lake City and then swing you northward to the wonderful Yellowstone country. Neither pictures nor words can give you an idea of the beauty of the geysers, mud volcanoes, brilliantly colored rocks, mysterious rivers, thundering waterfalls, precipices, chasms, canons and the million-year old mountains you will see there. Your trip will give you a fresh enthusiasm.

The trip out and back is part of the fun, if you go on one of the Burlington's luxurious limiteds. It does not cost any more to go that way and there isn't any good reason why you shouldn't have the best there is.

I am employed by the Burlington Route to answer all your questions. I'll tell you the cost, the best places to see, send you our handsome folders, and even arrange to reserve a Pullman berth, if desired, if you'll tell me about when you would like to go. When you write me, a postal will do. W. E. Goforth, ticket agent, Burlington Route.

P. S.—The date of the Pike's Peak Region annual "Shan Kive" and Summer Carnival has been set as Aug. 27, 28 and 29. It will be held at Colorado Springs—Manitou, and will be larger and grander than ever. You ought to arrange to be there at that time, if possible.

WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany order for these small amounts.

WANTED—Clean cotton rags, free from lint. Democrat-Forum. 3-tf

WANTED—Girl at Maryville Steam Laundry. 2-tf

WANTED—A girl to learn sewing. Apply Dietz & Keck, the tailors. 15-21

FOR RENT—Modern 5-room flat, steam heat, close in. E. D. Orear. 21-tf

WANTED—A girl mornings for housework for small family. Enquire at this office. 21-23

WANTED—Work on farm by married man with family experience. Inquire Democrat-Forum. 19-21

FOR SALE—Grapes that are just ripe for jelly. Phone your order to Hanamo 7. O. L. Holmes. 20-22

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Rooms for Rent" cards at this office, only 10 cents each.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Tents, camp stools and cots, picnic plates, knives and forks. Mark's 5 and 10c store.

FOR SALE—Heavy manilla wrapping paper, 50x30 inches, 5c the sheet. Democrat-Forum job office. 16-tf

LOST—Pair gold rimmed glasses, between town and the Chautauqua grounds. Mrs. Joe Miller, Clearmont, Mo., R. D. 2. 19-21

LOST—A week ago, small gold chain and cross with floral design engraved, two knots in chair. Katherine Yehle. 19-21

WANTED—TO BUY 3,000 pounds of old rags, copper, rubbers and all kinds of old metal. R. C. Anthony, Hanamo 258 Red. 24-tf

FOR SALE—Modern 6-room house and 3 acres on Prather avenue. See Mrs. W. H. Davenport at Logan Holt's. 6-6

FOR RENT—September 1st, the John Linneman property on East Seventh street. See Burt Rowley at lumber yard. 21-22

FOR SALE—Small herd Aberdeen Angus cattle, team of horses, 2 and 3 years old, and a large team of 4-year-old horses. Mason & Wilderman. 9-tf

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Graduate Tuner with factory experience. Best of references. Prices reasonable. All work guaranteed. Phone Bell 340 or leave orders Field-Lippman Music Co.

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Office over Maryville National bank.
Maryville, Mo.

Rain Amounted to .42 of an Inch.

The rain in Maryville on Tuesday amounted to .42 of an inch, according to Weather Observer J. R. Brink.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ferritor returned Wednesday morning from a few days' visit in St. Louis, Bloomington and Springfield, Ill.